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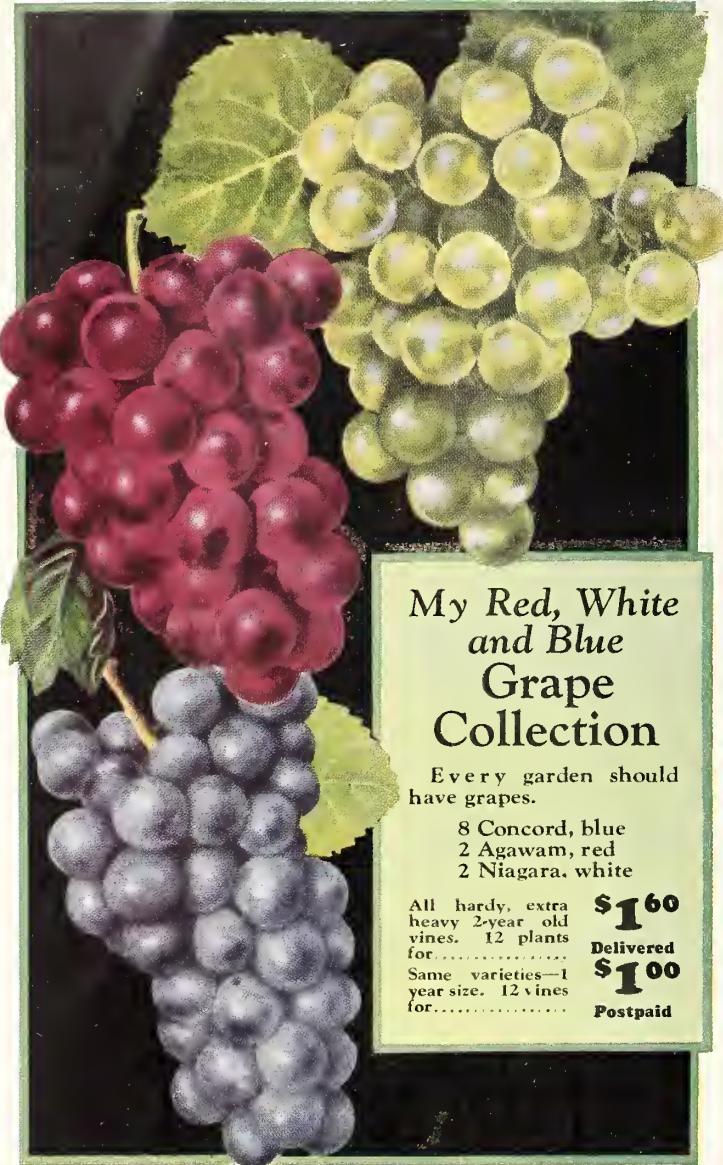
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# EARL MAY'S 1930 SPRING CATALOG

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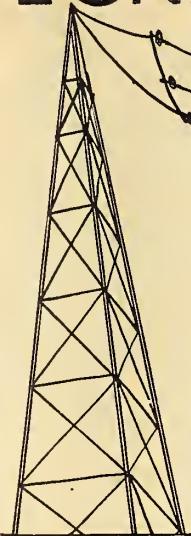
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# TUNE IN EACH DAY ON KMA

DO NOT MISS ANY  
KMA PROGRAMS



Wave Length 322.4 Meters, 930 Kilocycles; Shenandoah, Ia.

## Broadcasting Schedule for Each Day

**Daytime Program Daily**

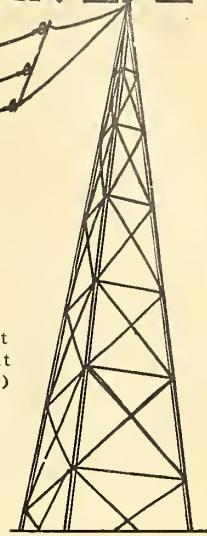
6:00- 7:30 a.m.—Service Talks.
Weather. Music.
9:30-11:00 a.m.—News, weather.
Grain Markets.
Music.
12:30- 2:00 p.m.—Markets, news, weather.
Musical features.
Agricultural Talks.
3:30- 5:00 p.m.—Musical Features.
6:30- 8:30 p.m.—Markets, news, weather.
Sports.
Agricultural Releases.
Music.

**Evening and Night Hours**

Mondays only.....8:30 p. m. to Midnight
Wednesdays and Fridays.10:00 p. m. to Midnight
Thursdays only.....6:30 to 7:00 p. m. (½ hour)

**Sunday Programs**

8:00- 9:00 a.m.—Morning Service.
12:15- 3:00 p.m.—Musical Program.
4:00- 6:00 p.m.—Musical Features.
6:00- 7:00 p.m.—Radio Church.
8:00-12:00 p.m.—Music.



# EARL E. MAY SEED & NURSERY CO.

Shenandoah, Iowa

## The Home of Your Favorite Radio Station

Make note of the hours listed above and turn your radio dial to the point where KMA programs come in best on your set. You'll be sure to always hear something enjoyable, interesting and instructive. Thousands of friends keep their set tuned in on KMA throughout each day's program—to their profit as well as pleasure, for often some special news or extraordinary offering of merchandise is passed on to our radio listeners along with the entertainment. Remember, this is your Radio Station, just as our mammoth nurseries and merchandise stocks are your headquarters for everything you and your home needs. Write and tell us how you like the programs—tell us what you would like to hear—or, better still,

## Visit KMA, Any Time—You Are Welcome

Whenever you can make the trip to Shenandoah, drop in on us. Nothing we like better than to meet our friends in person and show you the beauties and wonders of the great Radio Station and business plant that your patronage has helped us build here.

You'll enjoy KMA programs even more—and feel better acquainted with us here, as well as appreciate May's merchandise all the more—after a visit here.

### Read What These KMA Listeners Say:—

"Had been having poor reception until I got KMA Batteries. Now hear fine, and always keep dial set for KMA. Have an extension on my speaker and carry it from room to room as I work so as not to miss anything. Since visiting KMA your programs are even more interesting to me."

Mrs. Pearl Morris, Milan, Mo.

"KMA Batteries sure put power in my radio. From habit I turned volume to get KMA and jumped to hear Earl May's voice loud as if in room with me. Enjoy all the features of your programs and hope to visit KMA soon."

Ruth Gunther, Paxico, Kan.

"We listen to your programs every day, and think they are wonderful, especially the afternoon programs."

Lenore Vausickle, Green, Kan.

## Here are Three KMA SOUVENIR SPECIALS



Beautify Your Yard With  
**MAYWORTH HARDY FLOWERING SHRUBS**  
Cover Collection  
**\$2.00**

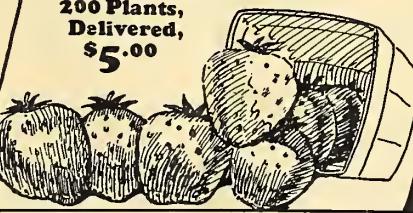
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2 yr. 12-18 inch size.  
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Forsythia, Golden Bell  
Spirea Billiard  
Bridal Wreath  
Japan Flowering Quince  
Red Bark Flowering Dogwood  
These 12 outdoor-grown, vigorous,  
hardy flowering shrubs .....\$2.00  
Postpaid

For a Real Treat This Summer  
Plant **MAY'S GIANT EVERBEARING MASTODON STRAWBERRIES**

They are just like the picture on  
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**100 Plants, Delivered, \$2.75**

**200 Plants,  
Delivered,  
\$5.00**



**May's Sunburst GLADIOLUS Collection**

**98c**

2 each of the following varieties:  
Gretchen Zang  
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Mrs. Bothin  
Gold Cup  
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Peace  
Scarlet Princeps

**98c Postpaid**



If You Want This Shrubbery Special

Mark X Here  
and add \$2.00 to total on order.

For These Plants, Mark X Here

- 100. Send \$2.75 more.
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**Use Back of this Page—ORDER NOW**

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# **FRIENDS** let me tell you about my New Catalog More Bargains than ever

## **COMPARE these two Apple Trees**

Notice the many branches and the vigorous, healthy root development of the tree on the right, compared with the thin, straggling growth of the other. Vigorous, well-rooted stock is the kind I send you.

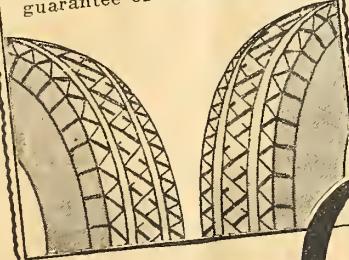


## **TWO SHIPMENTS Mine Properly Protected**

My nursery stock is packed with greatest care by men who know how to protect it so it reaches you in healthy, undamaged condition. I am interested in your success with my plants, so I ship them right.

## **Two Tires, Mine and One That Looks Like Mine**

Tires may look alike when new, but the service they give depends on the quality built in. May Tires have mileage built in and are backed by my guarantee of 16,000 miles.



## **Here It Is—My 1930 Spring Bargain Book**

THE biggest and finest catalog I have ever put out. I have been working for nearly a year to offer you the wonderful values that are listed on every page of this book. The prices, considering the quality of the merchandise I have to offer, are certainly right.

Every piece of merchandise offered in this catalog is fresh, clean, new and up-to-date merchandise and I have a bigger number of items to offer than ever before. My nursery stocks are finer than ever. Every one of you who have tried my seeds know of their superior qualities.

I hope you will select the things you need right now. I can give you prompt service on all merchandise items since we carry complete stock right here. And I will ship nursery stock just as soon as the season is right for it.

I want to thank all my friends for the orders they have sent in and the many fine letters I get. And while you are thinking about next spring and summer be sure and plan a visit to KMA. You will sure enjoy a little trip down here. Drop me a line anyway and keep tuned in on KMA. With best wishes and kindest regards to all of you, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Pres.

## **KMA—The Best Place on Earth to Shop and Enjoy Yourself**



# **Quality Guaranteed**

## **EASY TO ORDER**

It is very easy to order what you want from this catalog. Look through it now and mark the items you need. The very complete index on the last page will tell you where to find any particular item. Some of these—as in Seeds—are numbered for easier ordering. Use the handy order blank sent with this book—and be sure to STATE QUANTITY, SIZE, COLOR, etc., where necessary so we can fill your order exactly as you want it.

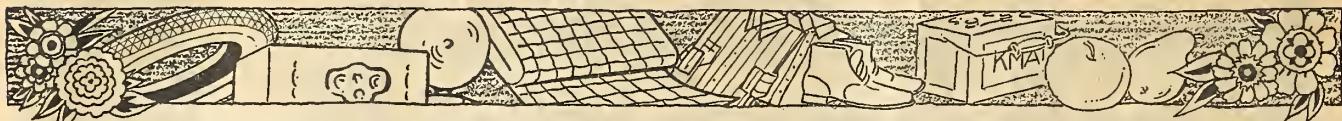
If you write a letter with your order, use a separate paper—don't write it on the order blank as that may delay your order.

## **How To Send Money**

Send remittances by postal or express money order, bank draft, or registered letter. Your personal check, too, is good with us. Cash sent with order must be sent at your own risk, as your letter passes through many hands before it comes to us.

## **I PAY THE POSTAGE —Always Have**

I prepay parcel post on perennials, flowering bulbs, and the parcel post size of shrubs, small fruits and trees. Orders for fruit trees and express size shrubs, amounting to \$10 or over, are sent Express Prepaid anywhere in the United States.



## Buy With Confidence—Order Early Your Complete Satisfaction Guaranteed

THOUSANDS of old friends come back to me year after year for their seeds and plants and merchandise. That is real proof of their confidence in me and their satisfaction with the goods I sell.

I suggest that you get your order in early for goods listed in this catalog. I can serve you a whole lot better if you do. Of course, I have a large and abundant supply of everything, but hundreds—yes, thousands of orders will be coming in from all these old friends as soon as this book arrives. Naturally the early orders are surest of being filled just as you want them. Besides, if your order comes early we can reserve items for you.

### You Can Rely on My Statements

You will find every item you buy from this catalog is just as described. I state only facts about all my goods. I personally investigate everything I sell, and try it out myself. I select my stocks just as carefully as if I were buying for my own use; in fact, I do use them to supply my own home and farm.

### I Know My Merchandise Is Good

Every item of nursery stock is raised right in my own large nurseries under my direct supervision. This way I know its quality is right, and how it will grow in this territory.

For my merchandise I go, myself, direct to the largest and best manufacturers and select the goods or specify just how I want it made in order to give you the best quality.

My seeds, too, for farm or for your garden are bought by me direct from growers who, I personally know, grow the best, productive seeds.

### My Prices Save You Money

Dealing direct as I do from my own nurseries and securing seed from seed producing sections, the most direct route, I naturally am doing that with merchandise too. I wasn't satisfied with the middlemen so made direct factory connections. This means genuinely big savings—savings that I pass on to you in the form of lower prices.

### NEW Service to SEED BUYERS

#### Farm Seed Shipped From Nearest Warehouse

This year I am stocking certain Farm Seeds—Clover, Alfalfa, etc., (page 68) in both CHICAGO, ILL.  
KANSAS CITY, MO.

as well as here in Shenandoah, Ia. Your order for Farm Seeds will be shipped from the stock nearest to you. This new feature of May's service will SAVE YOU MONEY on freight charges—a saving you can add to your profits from the crop.

Send your order to me at Shenandoah, as usual.

### How-to-Plant Book Free

You can grow any of the trees, shrubs, flowers or garden plants listed in my catalog—all the things you like and have wished to grow at home. This FREE book will show you how. Don't worry about your inexperience or



"luck." Plant May's Nursery Stock—read this book—follow its directions and you'll succeed. Sent free with every order of nursery stock. Full instructions for planting and culture go with my seed, and are also given in this catalog at the head of each item.

### Quick Delivery On All Your Orders

I have every means here for filling your orders promptly and getting shipments to you quickly. Customers write to me about their surprise at how soon they receive their goods and in what fine condition it arrives. A new feature of my service is announced on this page.

### Visit KMA Studio

I am always glad to see my friends here at KMA. Always something interesting to see and hear. Visit KMA, your Radio Station and my nurseries at any time you can make the trip.

### Read What These Friends Say:

#### Batteries Are Good

"Enclosed find money order for \$9.04 for box of raisins, corn popper and "B" Batteries. This is my third order for KMA Batteries. You know I think they are good ones or I would not be ordering the third set. This is my sixteenth order to KMA in the last year and a half."

Mrs. Julius F. Dreessen, Breda, Iowa.

#### Best Quality—Lowest Price

"We have bought several different things from you and all have been best quality and price. We have had three sets of "B" Batteries, dress materials, radio tubes and many fruit trees and other nursery things. They were all fine. Now we are ordering tires and tubes."

Mrs. S. F. Funk, Ridgeway, Mo.

#### More Than Satisfied

"We are satisfied customers of KMA. Bought 2 orders each of Tires and "B" Batteries, and right now have a May "B" Battery that has been in service over a year and it still tests 40 volts. We are well pleased with your tires' performance in mud; seldom need chains."

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Thornberg, Beatrice, Nebr.

#### Best Garden in Town

"I have bought my garden seed of you for 3 years and have certainly had good luck. I think every seed grew, especially the cabbage and tomatoes. I can notice, as one usually has just enough for one's own family use. I had enough for myself and several of my neighbors last year, and will again this year. They have just come up fine."

Mrs. Frank Lincoln, Grinnell, Iowa.

*Don't Miss a Single Page in This Catalog—Something Interesting on Every Page*

# HARDY FLOWERING SHRUBS

## Direct from Grower—All Shrubs Postpaid



I KNOW of nothing which will so quickly, and for so little cost, add so much to the beauty, cheerfulness and homelike appearance of your grounds as an assortment of my ornamental shrubs. They will be permanent improvements to your property and will increase in size and beauty, year after year, with just a little care.

### I Grow My Own Shrubs

We have been developing good shrubs for a long time and know just how to grow them. As a result, our stock is all hardy, well rooted, true to the name, and will give satisfaction. We dig our stock in dormant condition, pack it well and guarantee it to reach you in good growing condition.

### We Prune All Shrubs Ready for Planting

I prune back about half way on almost all the ornamental shrubs you plant. This will allow the roots to successfully establish themselves and produce a more vigorous top growth. I suggest you do not get too impatient. Give the plant a chance. Give the roots time to establish themselves.

**SIZE TO PLANT.** We get many questions as to what size to plant. If you plant a 2-3 ft. shrub and trim it back, such as a Hydrangea, you will get blooms the same year. That part of it is up to you but always rest assured that the larger the shrub, the more roots and heavier stems it will have. However, the 12-18 inch stock I am selling will give good success and will come along in splendid shape because they are grown right and are vigorous and hardy.

**PRICES.** The prices I am making you are very low, considering the grade of stock we are sending out. How can we make such good prices?

The answer is that you get your stock here direct from the grower. There is no middleman and there are only two people interested in the transaction. First, ourselves; second, you. That is the reason we can make you such reasonable prices for heavy rooted, vigorous stock.

### Low Prices on Quantity Orders

For friends who buy more than 1 shrub we are making a lower price on 2, 4, or 12, your choice of varieties. Get your neighbors to order an assortment and secure this price reduction in quantities.

Shrubs priced:	2 for	4 for	12 for
25c Each	\$ .45	\$ .85	\$2.25
30c "	.55	1.00	2.75
35c "	.65	1.25	3.25
40c "	.75	1.35	3.75
45c "	.85	1.55	4.25
50c "	.90	1.65	4.50
55c "	.95	1.70	4.85
60c "	1.00	1.75	5.00
65c "	1.10	2.00	5.25
70c "	1.15	2.15	5.50
75c "	1.25	2.25	5.85

All Flowering Shrubs Sent Postpaid.

### ALMOND, PINK FLOWERING.

(See illustration in color on inside back cover.) One of earliest blooming shrubs. Dwarf bush bearing small pink double flowers in profusion. Resembles a rose bush in full bloom, but flowers are smaller and cling closely to the branches. 12-18 in., 30c each; 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 ft., 70c each.

### ALMOND, WHITE FLOWERING.

Same as above except has pure white double flowers. Extremely hardy. 12-18 in., 30c each; 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 ft., 70c each.

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White Flowering Almond

# My Free Landscape Service



After

Home of Mrs. Albert Schleh, St. Paul, Minn., before and after planting with May's shrubs.



Before

### Mrs. Schleh Says:

"Am enclosing some pictures of my home which I promised I would send you as per letter of May 11, 1929.  
"I did all the selecting of shrubs and designing without the aid of anyone, and have received a great many compliments on my landscaping. You may keep these pictures for your 1930 catalog. Possibly they would also be interesting to the visitors that call at your radio station to show how the planting of shrubs will beautify a home."

### for Economical Home Planting

We now have a Home Planting Service for our customers whereby they can beautify their grounds by growing flowers and plants, when they do not feel they wish to employ a high priced landscape architect.

**This service is free.** Here is the plan:—Send us a rough diagram of your grounds, state the measurements, and locate the buildings and walks; also the trees and other planting you already have. If you have any photographs or snapshots of your house and lot, send them along. When sending us this information, send us a deposit fee of \$2.00. This deposit fee is your evidence of good faith, and it is to partially cover the cost of the first plan. We will issue you a credit coupon good for the full \$2.00, and this will be applied on your order for plants and shrubs when it amounts to \$10.00 or more.

### Complete Plans—Easy to Follow

Our landscape architect will send you plans that are easy to follow and will tell you just what to plant and how to plant. The plans are accompanied by a layout that anyone can easily understand—it shows you how to go about the work step by step.

Remember that this service costs you nothing—the deposit will be returned on your initial purchase of nursery stock amounting to \$10.00 or more.

## Barberry

**BARBERRY THUNBERGII** (Japanese). The kind that does not carry rust. A great favorite for hedge and group plantings. Does well in partial shade and is very fine for hedging or foundation planting. Brilliant red berries form in the Fall. Foliage and berries hang on most of the Winter. Can be trimmed any shape. 12-18 inch, 20c each; 10 for \$1.50, 25 for \$3.25, 100 for \$12.00; 18-24 inch, 3 yr., 35c each; 2-2½ ft., 3 yr., 45c each. For quantity prices for 18-24 inch and 2-2½ ft. see pages 3 and 7.

**NEW RED LEAVED BARBERRY.** (Illustrated inside back cover.) Similar to green-leaved variety except foliage is a lustrous bronze red. The foliage retains its coloring throughout the entire Summer, changes to a vivid orange in the Fall. Must be planted in full sunlight in order to develop and keep rich red color. 12-18 inch, 70c each; 2 for \$1.25; 4 for \$2.25.

**BUTTERFLY BUSH.** (Illustrated inside back cover.) Beautiful clusters of lilac-like flowers appear during July, August and September. In the north, mulch a little over winter. 35c each.



Japanese Barberry



Deutzia Pride of Rochester



Desmodium

## Deutzia

A splendid group of shrubs, varying considerably in height, but all bearing bell-shaped flowers in May and June. Good for shady places.

**GRACILIS.** A slender branched, dwarf-growing, dense, bushy shrub. White flowers in May. 12-15 in., 35c each; 15-18 in., 45c each.

**LEMOINE.** Large flowers of pure white, borne in cone-shaped heads. 12-18 in., 30c each; 18-24 in., 45c each.

**PRIDE OF ROCHESTER.** Earliest blooming in May. Many large, double white flowers. Grows about 6 feet tall. Popular on account of its regal appearance. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 45c each.

**DESMODIUM.** Shrub-like in its growth. Dies back to the ground each year. Has clover-like leaves and blazes forth in August with purplish flowers that are a sight to behold in anyone's yard. It is indeed very beautiful. 2-year, 60c each.

## Dogwood

A valuable group of shrubs because of their attractive colored bark and berries. All thrive in shady places as well as open ground. Vigorous, healthy foliage, growing well on moist soils.

**GOLDEN TWIGGED** (Yellow Barked). Bright yellow bark. A beautiful sight when planted along with the red and gray, and shows up wonderfully well. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 45c each.

**PANICULATA, G R A Y.**

Gray branches. White flowers in May. Grows 6 to 10 feet high. A compact grower. 18-24 inches, 40c each; 2-3 feet, 50c each.

**RED BARK DOGWOOD** (Siberica). (Illustrated on front cover.) The one with the coral red bark. Several in my own yard are very beautiful. Many white flowers in the Summer; porcelain blue berries on them in the Fall. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**VARIEGATED** (Elegantissima). Silver, gold and green variegated foliage. Branches and bark a beautiful blood-red. Very desirable. 12-18 in., 45c each; 18-24 in., 60c each.

## Elder

Rapid growing shrubs with ornamental foliage and also fine flowers and fruit. Thrives well in all soils but gives the best fruiting results in moist soil.

**GOLDEN.** Strong growing, hardy shrub with outstanding yellow foliage. Bears white flowers. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 feet, 50c each; 3-4 feet, 60c each.

**CUT-LEAVED.** Deeply cut, dark green, lacy fern-like foliage. Grows about 6 to 8 feet tall. 18-24 inches, 35c each; 2-3 feet, 45c each.

**RED-BERRIED.** White flowers in panicles early in Spring. Bright red berries in Summer turning to dark red buds in winter. Quite attractive for Winter decoration. 18-24 inches, 45c each; 2-3 feet, 60c each.

All Shrubs POSTPAID

## Euonymus

**BURNING BUSH** (*Euonymus atropurpurea*) (Wahoo). Well known, hardy shrub. An erect, tall shrub with slender green branches. In late Summer the fruits become very showy because of their lobed and warty seed coats and scarlet seeds resembling Bittersweet. 18-24 in., 50c each.

**CORK-BARKED STRAWBERRY BUSH** (Winged Burning Bush). A very novel corky branched shrub. Has rich crimson red leaves on it in the Fall. If you want something in your yard that is unique and different from what your friends and neighbors have, get a Cork-Eared Euonymus. 18-24 in., 80c each.

**HAZELNUT.** This is the American Hazel-nut. Valuable for its edible nuts as well as for its decorative value as a lawn shrub. 2-3 feet, 60c each.

**WHITE KERRIA** (*Rhodotypos* or Jet-bead). A valuable yellowish-green foliage shrub that blooms in April and May and occasionally throughout the Summer. Flowers single, white, followed by black berries. It does well in shady places. 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 feet, 65c each.

## Forsythia—Golden Bell

A splendid family of old-fashioned shrubs. (Illustrated in color on front cover.) They light up the garden with masses of yellow flowers very early in the Spring before the leaves appear. The upright forms make beautiful hedges. The creeping kind can be used for holding banks.

**GOLDEN BELLS** (*Forsythia intermedia*). The earliest blooming. Spreading habit of growth. 6 to 8 feet in height. Yellow blossoms. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 50c.

**GOLDEN FORTUNE** (*Forsythia fortunei*). Upright Forsythia growing 8 to 10 feet tall. Has dark green leaves which hang on late. Branches arch and bear throughout their entire length in the early spring, clusters of golden yellow blossoms. Plant a clump of these with Red-bud or Lilacs. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 50c.

**WEEPING GOLDEN BELL** (*Forsythia suspensa*). An extremely graceful shrub with long slender trailing branches. Beautiful yellow. Low. The lowest growing of Forsythias. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each.



Golden Bell

## Hydrangea

There is no plant or shrub better known than the Hydrangea, comprising some of the most showy plants in cultivation. It transplants easily, blooms the first season, has no insect enemies, is very reliable and hardy. Thrives in moisture and shade. Can be cut back to the ground early in the spring to make a dense shrub.

**HYDRANGEA A. G.** (Snowball Hydrangea).

"Hills of Snow." A rare beauty, bearing in great profusion immense clusters of pure white flowers that make a beautiful showing in June and July. 12-18 in., 35c each; 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 feet, 60c each.

**HYDRANGEA P. G.** (Giant Flowered Hydrangea). (See illustration in color on inside back cover.) Grows 6 to 8 feet. Blooms in August and September. Is hardy. Branches bend under the weight of its enormous flower clusters when it is in full bloom. The blooms at first are white, then pink and bronze as the season advances. If watched carefully and cut as they turn to bronze you can hang them up in the house and make beautiful winter bouquets. 12-18 in., 35c each; 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 feet, 60c each.

**TREE HYDRANGEA.** This is the Hydrangea P. G. with all its beauty of great clusters of bloom in tree shape. Will grow 10 to 12 feet high, 2-3 feet, 90c each; 3-4 feet, \$1.25 each.



Hydrangea A. G.



Euonymus Wahoo

Buy in Quantities—  
It's Cheaper

See Low Price Quantity  
Shrub Offer Page 3

### Honeysuckle

Fragrant flowers, showy fruits and fine foliage possessed by this group of flowering shrubs have made them very popular. They are hardy most anywhere, transplant easily and are adapted to most any shrub grouping. You can have a Honeysuckle Hedge. See my low prices, page 7.

**JAPANESE MORROWI.** A vigorous spreading grower. Foliage, dark restful green. Produces a mass of white flowers in early spring, followed with clusters of bright red berries. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 feet, 45c each.

**TATARIAN. WHITE, RED or PINK** flowers. Your choice of color. Blooms April-May. Abundance of brilliant red berries. This is the favorite old-fashioned Bush Honeysuckle, with splendid, upright branches. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 feet, 45c each.

**JAPANESE FLOWERING QUINCE** (*Cydonia Japonica*). (See illustration in color on front cover.) A very popular shrub often called "Fire-bush." When in full bloom the flaming red flowers make it look just like a blaze of fire. Very hardy. Blooms early and young. Has little thorns on it and grows about six feet tall. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 feet, 45c each.

### Lilacs

You can have Lilacs most anywhere you live. They are very hardy, vigorous and grow with such little attention. Every Spring they burst forth in bloom with great masses of large, beautiful flowers in all shades of red, pink and purple. All Lilacs listed here will bloom the year after they are planted. For a lilac hedge see my low prices, page 7.

**BIG PURPLE.** The old-fashioned Lilac which grows into a very high bush, sometimes getting 8 to 10 feet tall, with bright green heart-shaped leaves. The plant is covered with many light purple blooms in clusters. Purple Lilac used to good advantage for making a background for smaller shrubs, has a distinctive effect when planted alone or can be utilized very nicely for a fancy hedge. 12-18 inches, 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 feet, 45c each.

**WHITE.** This is the hardy, familiar white flowering variety, of slightly slower growth than the purple. 12-18 in., 40c each; 18-24 in., 60c each; 2-3 feet, 70c each.

**PERSIAN PURPLE.** Has slender branches, narrow leaves. Dwarf grower. This variety suitable for low and medium height foundation planting. 12-18 in., 35c each; 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 feet, 60c each.

**ROUEN LILAC** (*Rothomagensis*). This grows 10-15 feet high. Has immense reddish purple panicles in May. I recommend this variety. Free bloomer; splendid healthy foliage. 12-18 in., 40c each; 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 feet, 60c each.

### French Lilacs

Hardy improved varieties of Lilacs from France. We have a very fine selection of them. No home or park is complete now without a good selection of these beautiful plants. Will give you blooms the second year planted.

**ALPHONSE LAVALLE.** Large trusses of violet flowers. Double.

**CHAS. X.** Beautiful purplish red. Single.

**MARIE LEGRAYE.** Pure white. Free bloomer. Single.

**MICHAEL BUCHNER.** Pale Lilac. Double. 18-24 in.

**PRES. GREVY.** Light blue. Fine large trusses. Double.

**MAD. LEMOINE.** Large double white.

Your choice of above six popular lilacs:—18-24 in., \$1.00 each; 6 for \$5.00. 2-3 feet, \$1.10 each; 6 for \$5.50.



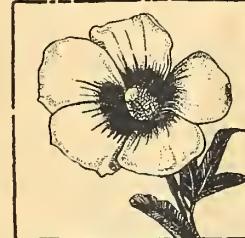
Honeysuckle Red Tatarian



Rose Tree of China



Lilac Chas. X.



Althea (Rose of Sharon)

**PEARL BUSH** (*Exochorda*). Grows vigorously about 8 to 12 feet. The early buds look like pearls strung on slender threads, in May opening up to long, gleaming sprays of pure white. A wonderful sight on a lawn. 18-24 inches, 50c each; 2-3 feet, 60c each.

### Flowering Plum

**PURPLE-LEAVED FLOWERING PLUM** (*Prunus Newport*). A new hardy purple-leaved Flowering Plum with red foliage. It is an upright grower. 2-3 ft., low-branched, 60c each; 3-4 ft., low-branched, 85c each.

**ROSE TREE OF CHINA** (*Prunus Triloba*). A double Flowering Plum. Early in the spring before leaves appear the whole tree is covered with fleecy clouds of beautiful, double, pink blossoms on the long, slender branches. A semi-dwarf grower. Hardy everywhere. 2-3 ft., 60c each; 3-4 ft., 85c each.

**REGEL'S PRIVET.** Low-spreading shrub bearing fragrant white flowers in May-June. Valuable for hedges and border planting. Foliage richly colored in fall. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 30c each. See Privet for hedging—page 7. Quantity prices on page 3.

**ROSE OF SHARON** (*Althea*). These are the color spots for Fall just as Lilacs and Weigelas are for Spring. They flower in September in all different shades of red, white, pink and purple. These should not be planted in cold Northern climates.

**DOUBLE RED, PURPLE, PINK or WHITE.** Any color. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 feet, 40c each.



Snowball

### Snowball or Viburnum

The Snowball gives, in Spring, the same showy effect that Hydrangeas produce in Fall. Viburnums are very valuable as shrubbery borders. Will grow in shade.

### HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY

(*Opulus*). Grows 6 to 8 feet. Flowers in May. Has a spreading habit. This is one of the very best red-berried shrubs for late Fall and early Winter effect. Flowers are white. 12-18 in., 40c each; 18-24 in., 55c each; 2-3 ft., 70c each.

**OLD-FASHIONED SNOWBALL** (*Opulus Sterilis*). Colored plate on inside back cover. Grows about 6 to 8 feet tall. The old-fashioned Snowball that grows almost everywhere and always flowers so abundantly. It is indeed beautiful and should be in everyone's yard. White flowers in "Snowball" clusters. 12-18 in., 40c each; 18-24 in., 60c each; 2-3 ft., 75c each.

**ARROW WOOD or DENTATUM.** Bright green heart shaped leaves turning to purple and red in fall. Flowers May and June. Creamy white, followed by attractive dark blue berries. 18-24 in., 30c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

### Snowberry

**SNOWBERRY, WHITE.** (Illustration in color on front cover.) Bears delicate pink flowers followed by large clusters of beautiful white berries in the Fall. Hardy. 12-18 in., 20c each; 6 for \$1.00. 18-24 in., 35c each.

**SNOWBERRY, RED.** Native over a wide territory. Small red berries in Autumn. Very attractive. Will stand lots of grief. Hardy. 12-18 in., 20c each; 6 for \$1.00. 18-24 in., 25c each.



Snowberry



May's Big Purple Lilac

At Last—ALL the Joy of Radio for the Farm Home—See Radio Pages



Spirea Arguta



Spirea Callosa Alba

## Spireas

The most used group of shrubs. All are popular, affording the greatest range in size, habit, color of foliage and flowers, and period of bloom. Very hardy, easy to grow and easy to care for.

**ANTHONY WATERER.** Ever-blooming Red Dwarf. (Illustrated inside back cover.) Can be used for edging and borders. The color is bright crimson. It is a dwarf, dense grower, never exceeding 30 inches. Hardy everywhere. 12-18 in., 30c each; 18-24 in., 45c each.

**BILLIARDI OR RED BRIDAL WREATH.** (See illustration in color on front cover.) This is a narrow dense shrub that grows 6 feet high. Blooms July-September and has dense spikes of rich pink flowers. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**EXTRA LARGE FLOWERING BRIDAL WREATH (Van Houtte).** (See illustration in color on front cover.) The best known of all shrubs. Desirable as a hedge or around the foundation or porch. The branches droop with white flowers in April and May. Very hardy. 12-18 in., \$1.40 per 10, postpaid; 18-24 in., 2-yr., 25c each, 2 for 45c, 5 for \$1.00, 12 for \$2.00; 2-3 ft., 35c each, \$3.00 per 10, 3-4 ft., 3-yr., 45c each; \$4.00 per 10. Hedging prices on page 7.

**FROEBEL.** Deep pink, semi-dwarf. May-June. Just a little taller than Anthony Waterer. Young leaves tinged purple turning red in Autumn. Desirable for planting in front of taller growing shrubs. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each.

**GARLAND SPIREA (Arguta).** A bushy shrub 3 to 5 feet high, growing taller and more vigorous than Spirea Thunbergi, with narrow, delicate, light-green leaves. Flowers are pure white and appear in early May. The earliest blooming Spirea. 18-24 in., 30c each; 2-2½ ft., 45c each.

**NINEBARK (Opulifolia).** A very vigorous growing Spirea. Heavy white flowers in May and June followed with orange colored peapods. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**DOUBLE BRIDAL WREATH (Prunifolia).** The plum-leaved foliage turns a brilliant red in early Autumn. Clusters of small, button-like, white flowers bloom early in spring. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each.

**WHITE FEATHERY-LEAVED SPIREA (Thunbergi).** Blooms in April and May. Beautiful graceful bush. Splendid for border planting. Branches bear innumerable white flowers on tiny stems. Fine for planting along water. Bright autumn foliage. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each.

**WHITE JAPANESE SPIREA (Callosa Alba).** This might be called a white sister to the Anthony Waterer. Foliage light, healthy green. It can be used in the same way, for mass or foundation planting. Blooms from June until Fall. Be sure to plant a few of these. 12-18 in., 30c each; 18-24 in., 45c each.

**YELLOW NINEBARK (Opulifolia Aurea).** Same as Ninebark except has golden yellow leaves. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 45c each.

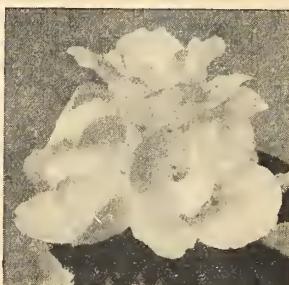
## Sumac

Native, hardy shrubs, fine foliage.

**SMOOTH SUMAC (Glabra).** Our native Sumac very brilliant in Autumn with crimson seeds and foliage. Height 5 to 8 feet. 18-24 in., 30c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**STAGHORN SUMAC (Typhina).** Picturesque and rugged. Flowers during June and July in dense terminal panicles, followed by impressive red fruits. Velvety branches. 18-24 in., 30c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

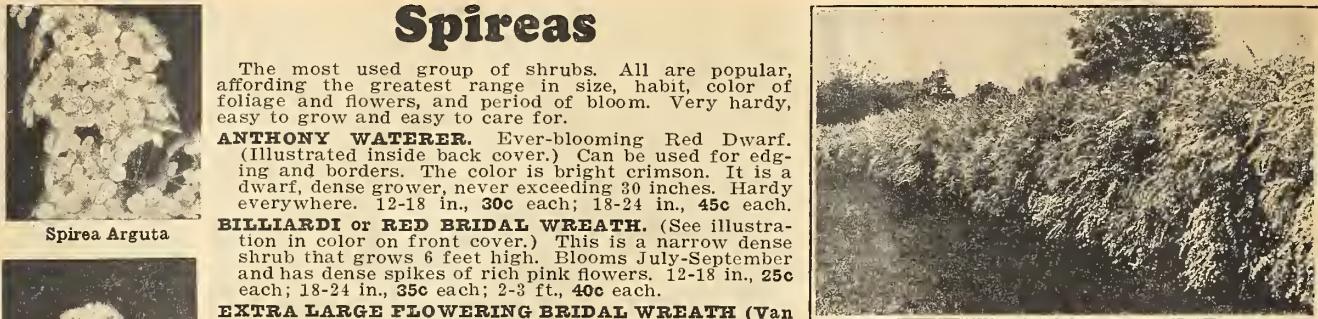
**FERN-LEAVED STAGHORN.** Grows about 8 to 12 feet high. Deep green, fern-like foliage and scarlet fruit. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 45c each.



Mock-Orange



Fern-leaved Staghorn Sumac



Van Houtte Spirea—"Ideal Hedge for a Farm Home"

## Shrubs for Special Plantings

Tall Growing for Corners and Heavy Planting  
8 Feet and Up

Golden Elder	Dogwood Siberica
Lilacs	Mock-Orange—Syringa
Bush Honeysuckle	High Bush Cranberry
Snowball	Spirea Van Houtte

Medium Height for Foundation Planting

Viburnum Dentatum	Spirea, Billiardi
Japan Quince	Weigela
Hydrangea P. G.	Spirea Van Houtte

Deutzia—Varieties

Dwarf-Growing for "Front Line"  
Planting, 2 to 5 Feet

White Feathery Leaf	Snowberry
Spirea	Spirea Froebel
White Japanese Spirea	Hydrangea A. G.
Barberry Thunbergi	
Spirea Anthony Waterer	

### Shrubs for Shady Locations

Van Houtte Spirea	Honeysuckles
Japanese Barberry	Golden Bell
Snowberry	Privets
Dogwood	Deutzias
Hydrangea	Mock-Orange

### Shrubs With Attractive Berries

Barberry	Dogwood
Honeysuckles	Snowberry
Elder	Privets
	High Bush Cranberry

**SWEET-SCENTED SHRUB (Calycanthus).** Called by many, "All-spice." Blooms in June. Chocolate colored flowers. Wood and leaves of a delightful fragrance. Very strong, upright grower. 12-18 in., 55c each; 18-24 in., 65c each.

### Syringa Mock-Orange

No garden is quite complete unless it has some of these old-fashioned shrubs. Strong grower in sun or partial shade. No insect enemies.

**CORONARIUS (Garland Syringa) (Mock Orange).** Grows 10 to 12 feet tall. Blooms in very graceful sprays. Large, white flowers delightfully scented. Blooms in May. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 30c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**GOLDEN-LEAVED SYRINGA (Aurea).** Dwarf, compact, with yellow leaves, and white flowers during May and June. 12-15 in., 50c each; 15-18 in., 70c each.

**VIRGINIA.** Almost everblooming. (Illustrated inside back cover.) A magnificent new variety. Bush grows moderately tall. The flowers are semi-double, white. It is something new and different, quite distinct from any other variety of Syringa. 12-18 in., 35c each; 18-24 in., 55c each.

## Tamarix

This group of shrubs is becoming more and more popular. Good for either wet or dry ground. We are listing the best varieties. Tamarix should be cut back each year almost to the ground. This will make it branch more and make it more attractive. If conditions are good will bloom first year.

**AMERICAN SHOWY PURPLE TAMARIX (Tetandra purpurea).** Has dark green foliage. Dense growth, purplish pink flowers midsummer. Red-brown bark. Quite hardy. 18-24 in., 30c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**KASHGAR TAMARIX OR HISPIDA.** A distinct variety with delicate, bright pink sprays of flowers in June, July and August, a time when shrubbery is comparatively bare of flowers. Beautiful silver foliage. The most attractive Tamarix. 18-24 in., 50c each; 2-3 ft., 60c each.

**RUSSIAN TAMARIX (Odessana).** Graceful silvery green foliage. Has light pink flowers that do not bleach out. 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 45c each.



Tamarix

## The Weigelas

Weigelas thrive in almost any soil and are of upright habit when young, growing more graceful with age. In May and June the Weigelas are aglow with a wealth of flowers and some varieties bloom sparingly through the entire Summer—especially Eva Rathke and Rosea. Colors—White, Pink and Red.

**EVA RATHKE.** One of the finest shrubs in existence. (Illustrated inside back cover.) It blooms throughout the Summer, flowering more abundantly in June. Dwarf in habit. I have three in my own yard. 12-18 in., 35c each; 18-24 in., 45c each, 2-3 ft., 55c each.

**PINK WEIGELA** (Rosea). A very popular shrub with trumpet-shaped flowers. Medium size. Varies from light pink to deep rosy red on the same branch. 12-18 in., 25c each; 18-24 in., 35c each; 2-3 ft., 40c each.

**SNOW WEIGELA** (Candida). Blooms in June. Beautiful ivory-white flowers almost covering its graceful branches. 18-24 in., 45c each; 2-3 ft., 55c each.

### Special Low Price Shrub Offer

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On page 3 you will find a list of special prices for shrubs purchased in quantity. Take advantage of this offer and get your neighbors to order with you. They will thank you.



Weigela Rosea

## May's Plants for Hedges and Screens



### Hedges Make the Best Fence I Will Send You Fine Plants

ORDINARILY you secure small plants, but this year I am sending you heavier plants at lower prices. One couldn't hope for any quicker and better results in growing hedges than it is possible to attain with these healthy, well rooted plants.

With a little attention, these plants will develop into pretty and effective hedges which will add value and enjoyment to your home. Plant the taller growing ones also as a screen.

### Ornamental Varieties Without Thorns

**AMOOR RIVER PRIVET.** This is a hardy Privet. We recommend it highly for hedging in the Middle West. Has glossy green foliage and holds its leaves until very late in the Fall. Prune to any shape desired—will not injure the plant.

**HARDY CALIFORNIA PRIVET** (Ivolium). The most beautiful privet. Has attractive dark green foliage of the California Privet, but is much harder and can be planted successfully in Southern Iowa and the South. Stands pruning.

**HONEYSUCKLE** (Tatarian). Blooms in May. Upright, somewhat spreading branches. Bright red berries appear after the flowers, and cling to the bush for several weeks. We have this in red, white or pink.

**PURPLE LILAC.** The well-known, old-fashioned Lilac. Grows 9 to 10 feet tall, with heart-shaped leaves of a bright green. In May the plant is a beautiful mass of light purple blooms in clusters.

**RUSSIAN MULBERRY.** A very hardy variety, well adapted for hedges and screens. Stands pruning quite well.

**RUSSIAN OLIVE.** Its long narrow, silvery-white foliage and almost black, shining bark, make this a most effective lawn hedge. Delicately fragrant, yellow flowers. Stands pruning. See page 9 for prices.

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTE** (Bridal Wreath). A hedge of these beautiful Spireas, with their masses of white flowers, cannot be equalled as a foundation border, or along back-lot line. Can be trimmed.

**SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER.** For low hedges. Dwarf, compact, bearing clusters of bright, red flowers. Blooms throughout the entire summer. Hardy.

### Ornamental Varieties With Thorns

**BARBERRY THUNBERGII.** (Japanese.) This variety does not carry rust. This thorny plant does well in shade. Fine for hedging and foundation plantings. Brilliant red berries in fall.

**BUCKTHORN.** Hardy shrub, covered with pretty white blossoms in the spring and red berries in fall. A strong and vigorous grower.

**CARAGANA** (Siberian Pea Tree). Extremely hardy shrub with small, sharp thorns. Yellow flowers in May. Can be pruned. Extensively used as a hedge plant in North and South Dakota, Minnesota, etc.



Amoor Privet Makes an Excellent Hardy Hedge

### You Can Afford a Nice Hedge at These Low Prices PREPAID

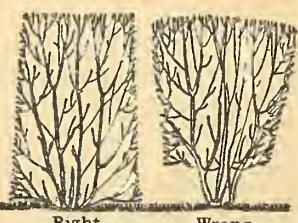
	PRICES ON ALL HEDGE PLANTS	Size	Per 10	Per 25	Per 100
Amoor River Privet.		12-18 in.	\$1.20	\$2.50	\$ 9.00
		18-24 in.	1.75	3.50	12.00
		2-3 ft.	2.25	4.50	15.00
Hardy California.		12-18 in.	1.20	2.50	9.00
		18-24 in.	1.75	3.50	12.00
Honeysuckle, Tatarian . . . . .	(Red, White or Pink)	12-18 in.	1.75	3.50	12.00
Purple Lilac . . . . .		12-18 in.	2.50	5.00	18.00
Russian Mulberry . . . . .		12-18 in.	.45	.80	1.85
		18-24 in.	.55	1.00	2.45
Spiraea Van Houtte . . . . .	2 yr. (doz.) . . . . .	12-18 in.	1.40	3.00	10.00
		18-24 in.	2.00	4.00	15.00
	3 yr. . . . .	2-3 ft.	1.75	3.50	20.00
Spiraea, Anthony Waterer . . . . .		12-18 in.	....	5.50	20.00
Barberry, Thunbergii 2 yr. . . . .		12-18 in.	1.50	3.25	12.00
3 yr. . . . .		18-24 in.	....	4.50	16.50
3 yr. . . . .		2-3 ft.	....	7.00	25.00
Buckthorn . . . . .		12-18 in.	1.35	2.50	9.00
Caragana . . . . .		12-18 in.	1.20	2.25	8.00

### Spacing Hedges

Privet and similar upright varieties ..... 6 to 12 inches apart.  
Barberry and other medium tall bushy shrubs ..... 1 to 2 feet apart.  
Tall shrubs for high hedges ..... 2 to 4 feet apart.

### How to Trim Hedges

At planting cut tops of privet and other low growers back to 4 or 6 inches above the ground. Each spring the hedge can be trimmed back to the desired height and width. Frequent trimming during early summer will make the hedge grow dense. Trim both the sides and the top or else the hedge will grow wider at the top and become open at the bottom.



Barberry Makes a Dense and Beautiful Hedge

# MAY'S CLIMBING VINES



**BITTERSWEET  
BERRIES**

## Use May's Vigorous Vines to Cover Walls, Porches and to Screen Out Unsightly Places

EVERY home needs vines. They decorate porches and walls; add privacy, a touch of charm, and screen out unattractive views. Few well planned homes are seen nowadays without them.

We have all the varieties of vines for your convenience and tastes. They are hardy and vigorous so we can assure you of good results. Since they are low priced they can be appreciated by everyone.

### All Vines Postpaid

**VIRGINIA CREEPER**, or **AMERICAN IVY** (*Ampelopsis Quinquefolia*). This is the old-fashioned Virginia Creeper. An old favorite. Valuable for covering porches, arbors and trellises. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Will grow in practically every soil and location; must be tied as it will not cling to walls. **35c** each; 2 for **60c**.

**BITTERSWEET**. Native climber. Produces beautiful scarlet berries in late Fall. **40c** each; 2 for **75c**.

**BOSTON IVY** (*Ampelopsis Veitchii*). Small-leaved variety. Climbs on brick or stone. Should be planted on north side of the house here in the Middle West. We have some on the nursery office, north side. One of the finest climbers. **55c** each; 2 for **\$1.00**.

**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE** (*Aristolochia Siphon*). Has beautiful large green leaves. Beware of purchasing seedling Dutchman's Pipe, which does not bloom. In order to get blooms on these pipes, they should be grafted and it requires special skill and knowledge to do it. The flowers resemble Dutch pipes. **60c** each; 2 for **\$1.10**—true grafted variety.

**TRUMPET VINE** (*Bignonia*). The hardy native blooming vine with orange-scarlet trumpet-like flower. A very prolific bloomer and useful for covering fences and old stone piles. **40c** each; 2 for **75c**.

### Honeysuckle



**SCARLET TRUMPET**. Fine for porches and trellises. Bright scarlet flowers, trumpet shaped. **35c** each; 2 for **60c**.

**HALLIANA** (*Hall's Japan*).

**HALL'S HONEYSUCKLE** White and yellow flowers. Extremely fragrant and used extensively as a ground cover. It can also be trained into a beautiful hedge. Covers caves and unsightly objects. **35c** each; 2 for **60c**.

### Clematis

No other climbing plant equals in attractiveness the beautiful large-flowering Clematis. They need rich, deep soil, good drainage, abundance of water and, most important of all, they should be planted with the crowns three inches beneath the surface of the soil.

#### LARGE FLOWERING

This class of Clematis is the most beautiful of all. 2-yr. plants, **\$1.00** each; 2 for **\$1.75**.

**HENRYI**. Creamy white; large.

**JACKMANI**. Velvety violet-blue. Large flowers.

**RAMONA**. Deep Blue.

#### SMALL FLOWERING

**COCCINEA**. Flowers small, bright red and bell-shaped. Vine very hardy. **40c** each; 2 for **75c**.

**PANICULATA**. The sweet-scented white Clematis from Japan. Hardy. Flowers medium size. Blooms late August and September. Blooms come in immense sheets. This vine is a wonderful sight when in full bloom. **35c** each; 2 for **60c**.

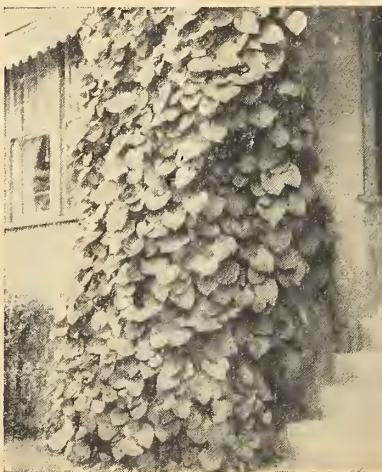


**Engelmann's Ivy**

This is the hardest of all climbing ivy. Climbs rocks, wood, stone or brick. **35c** each; 2 for **60c**.



**Clematis Jackmani**



**Dutchman's Pipe**



**TRUMPET CREEPER**

### Vines for Special Uses

**To Cover Top of Pergola or Lattice**

**Trumpet Creeper** **Engelmann's Ivy.**  
**Wisteria** **Boston Ivy.**  
**Beta Grape**

**For Graceful Effects on Pergola**

**Bittersweet** **Honeysuckle**  
**Clematis in variety** **Climbing Rose**

**For Solid Screen Effects**

**Virginia Creeper** **Dutchman's Pipe**

**Trumpet Vine** **Madeira Vine**

**Perennial and Annual Vines**

These vines are valuable for quick effects.

**Beta Grape**

**Perennial Sweet Pea**

**Moon Flower**

**Annual Sweet Peas**

**Climbing Nasturtiums**

**Sakata Large Flowering Morning Glory.**

### Wisteria

**PURPLE**. Grafted so you will secure the true flowering varieties. One of the most handsome of the flowering vines for porches, trellises, etc. Has drooping clusters of pea-shaped, purple flowers. **85c** each; 2 for **\$1.50**.

**WHITE**. Grafted. **85c** each; 2 for **\$1.50**.



**Wisteria**

An old-fashioned popular vine, covering a large space in a short time. Fleshy heart-shaped leaves of a light green, and numerous racemes of feathery white flowers of delicious fragrance. Strong tubers. Not hardy. 6 for **25c**; **\$2.75** per 100.

### For Box and Hanging Basket

#### COLLECTION NO. 1

10 graceful, decorative plants of our selection, such as Boston Fern, English Ivy, Lantana, Asparagus, Geranium, Variegated Vinca, Petunias, Coleus and Single Geranium. Price, **\$2.00**, Postpaid.

**COLLECTION NO. 2**  
Same as above. 12 plants, our selection. Price, **\$2.40**, Postpaid.

**COLLECTION NO. 3**  
Same as above. 15 plants, our selection. Price, **\$3.00**, Postpaid.



"Mr. May:

I must tell you about my American Beauty Rose Bush I bought of you this spring. It bloomed once about a month ago and is already in bloom again. Sure enjoy KMA and your coffee—none is like it. We won't be without it."

Mrs. R. R. Porter, Pollock, Mo.

# MAY'S SHADE AND FLOWERING TREES

Bechtel's Flowering Crab, Red Bud and Russian Olive are all very beautiful when in bloom. My trees, of course, are all hardy everywhere. For North Dakota and Minnesota I urge the planting of Chinese Elm, European Mountain Ash, Catalpa Bungei, Russian Olive, the Poplars, Cut-Leaved Weeping Birch and Willows.

For quick shade I recommend the Elm, Soft Maple, American Linden and European Mountain Ash. I can supply trees in quantity for park, cemetery, street planting.

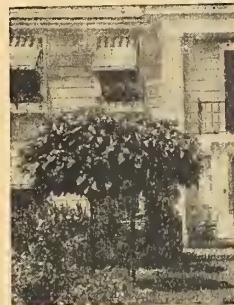


Cutleaf Weeping Birch

**CATALPA BUNGEI.** Our finest variety. Called by many "Umbrella Tree." Has dome-shaped head. Large, green leaves. Fine for lawns, parks and cemeteries. Buy a matched specimen pair. Must go by express.

#### TWO YEAR HEADS

	Each	Per 2	Per 4
3 ft. Stems....	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.00
4 ft. Stems....	1.00	1.90	3.70
5 ft. Stems....	1.35	2.50	4.80
6 ft. Stems....	1.65	3.10	6.00



Catalpa Bungei

**BECHTEL'S FLOWERING CRAB.** Hardy dwarf flowering trees that bloom abundantly during the season. I have some of these in my yard and everyone who goes by the house stops and looks at them on account of their unusual beauty. Blossoms early. Large, double, delicate pink flowers. The tree, when in full bloom, looks as if it were covered with roses.

	Each	Per 2	Per 4
18-24 in. postpaid.....	\$0.50	\$0.95	\$1.75
2-3 ft. postpaid.....	.65	1.25	2.25
3-4 ft. ....	1.00	1.85	3.25



Bechtel's Flowering Crab

This is the favorite of everyone. Nothing prettier than a beautiful Elm. Excellent for shade. Extensively used for streets, lawns, parks, country clubs and boulevard plantings. Good crowns and well branched. (See page 10 for Elm Seedlings.)

	Each	Per 4	Per 12
4-5 ft....	\$0.45	\$1.60	\$4.50
5-6 ft....	.75	2.25	6.50
6-8 ft....	1.00	3.25	9.25

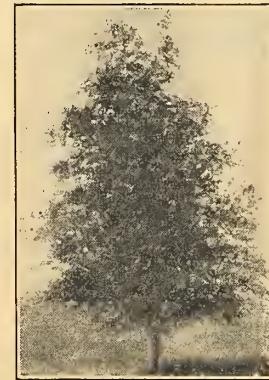
	Each	Per 4	Per 12
5-6 ft....	\$1.25	\$2.25	\$4.00
6-8 ft....	1.60	3.00	5.50

**MOLINE ELM.** Very rapid, erect growing type of budded Elm. Leaves often six inches across. Hardy and desirable, especially good where we have average rainfall.

	Each	Per 2	Per 4
6-8 ft....	\$1.45	\$2.60	\$4.75
8-10 ft....	1.90	3.60	6.75

**AMERICAN LINDEN.** (Basswood.) A pyramidal growing tree with large leaves and fragrant flowers. Valuable for street and lawn planting as these trees develop into beautiful specimens. A rapid grower and perfectly hardy.

	Each	Per 2	Per 4
5-6 ft....	\$1.25	\$2.25	\$4.00
6-8 ft....	1.75	3.25	6.00



Chinese Elm

**NOTE:** Transportation charges are prepaid on all orders for Ornamental Trees amounting to \$10.00 or over. Orders under \$10.00 by freight or express at customer's expense.

**MAPLE, HARD or SUGAR.** Foliage turns to beautiful golden yellow in Autumn. Fine for lawn and avenue planting.

Feet	Each	Per 2	Per 4
5-6 ..	\$1.60	\$3.00	\$5.50
6-8 ..	2.25	4.25	8.00

**MAPLE, NORWAY.** Hardy, popular tree for park and street planting; steady growth; bright green foliage. Practically free from insects and pests.

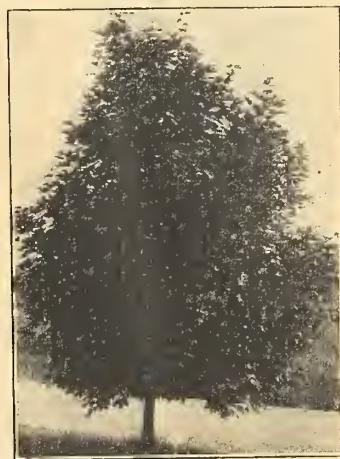
Feet	Each	Per 2	Per 4
5-6 ..	\$1.60	\$3.00	\$5.50
6-8 ..	2.25	4.25	8.00

**MAPLE, SOFT or SILVER LEAF.** Hardy, tree of rapid growth, for quick shade. Thrives almost everywhere. Free from insects, pests and disease.

Feet	Each	Per 2	Per 4
4-5 ..	\$0.25	\$0.80	\$2.25
5-6 ..	.40	1.40	4.00
6-8 ..	.65	2.25	6.25
8-10 ..	1.10	3.50	9.75

**MULBERRY, TEAS WEEPING.**ING. Has a fine, graceful, weeping head. Very hardy. Excellent for planting on the lawn as a specimen tree or in pairs on each side of the walk. The fruit attracts birds. One of the prettiest of the small weeping trees. 2-yr. heads, 5-6 ft, stems \$3.00 each; \$5.50 per 2.

**RUSSIAN OLIVE.** Lawn tree; spreading top; black shiny bark; silvery white foliage. Small yellow and very fragrant blossoms. Hardy as far north as Canada. Good hedge or screen, as it stands pruning.



Sugar Maple

	Each	Per 2	Per 4
4-5 ft.....	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.00
5-6 ft.....	1.25	2.25	4.00

**POPLAR, CAROLINA.** One of the most rapid growing trees for this territory. Large glossy green leaves; spreading growth; dense shade. Well branched.

	Each	Per 4	Per 12
5-6 ft....	\$0.30	\$1.00	\$2.50
6-8 ft....	.50	1.60	4.00
8-10 ft....	.70	2.40	5.75



Lombardy Poplar

**POPLAR, LOMBARDY.** Grows tall and symmetrical; large leaves. Branches close to ground and for this reason is fine for screen purposes. In landscape work, breaks the monotony of lower, round-top trees.

	Each	Per 4	Per 12
5-6 ft....	\$0.50	\$1.80	\$5.00
6-8 ft....	.75	2.65	7.50
8-10 ft....	1.00	3.50	9.95

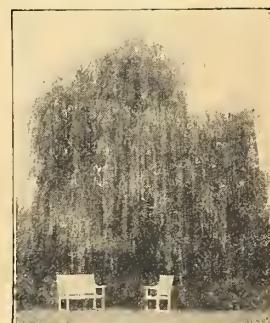


Red Bud

**RED BUD.** Grows about 15 to 20 feet. Is a blaze of beautiful bright red flowers in May. One of these in a yard is a sight to behold. Hardy, vigorous; grown in symmetrical shape and sure to please. 2-3 ft., 75¢ each; 3-4 ft., \$1.00 each.

**WEEPING WILLOW, NIobe, GOLDEN.** Attractive golden bark. Very hardy.

	Each	Per 4	Per 12
4-5 ft....	\$0.50	\$1.60	\$4.50
5-6 ft....	.65	2.25	6.25



Weeping Willow

"Your trees are the finest, thriftiest looking I ever set out, and they came already trimmed, ready to set — something that other nurseries don't do. Many people don't know how to trim trees, so set them out with all branches on. The trees leaf out, and when hot weather sets in, the top is too much for the tiny roots. Hence they die." — Andrew Johnson, Vermillion, Kan.

# May's Hardy Ornamental Evergreens.

## For the Lawn or Windbreak



A Pfitzer Juniper

**ARBORVITAE, PYRAMIDAL** (*Arborvitae Pyramidalis*). Narrow compact growth, pyramidal form; deep green color at practically all seasons. Hardy; reaches 15 or 20 feet high, usually not more than 2 feet in diameter at base. PRICES: 18-24 in., \$3.50 each; \$6.50 pair. 2-2½ ft., \$4.00 each; \$7.75 pair.



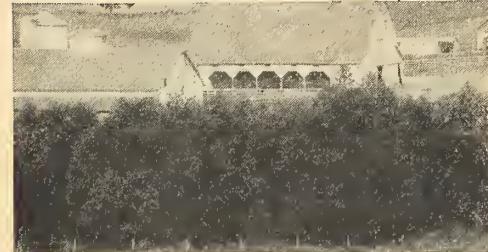
**CEDAR, RED.** America's best known Evergreen, grows practically everywhere. Ours is narrow, compact pyramidal type; bright green in early Spring, gradually deepening. Can be trimmed to various shapes. PRICES: 12-18 in., \$1.00 each; pair \$1.85; 10 for \$8.00. 18-24 in., \$1.75 each; pair \$3.00; 10 for \$13.00.

**JUNIPER, IRISH.** Somewhat same type as Red Cedar, but growing more compact and erect; with bluish tinted foliage on the young shoots. Practically hardy throughout this part of the country. A sun-loving plant. PRICES: 2-2½ ft., \$3.00 each; pair \$5.50. 2½-3 ft., \$3.75 each; pair \$7.00.

**JUNIPER, PFITZERIANA.** A highly ornamental Evergreen, popular and hardy. Immune from plant pests of all kinds. Assumes attractive, low, broad, irregular form, and can be sheared to any size or shape. Suitable for foundation planting and low dense mass effects. PRICES: 18-24 in., \$3.25 each; pair \$6.00. 2-2½ ft., \$4.75 each; pair \$8.75.



## Seedlings for Windbreak or Wood Lot



The seedlings I am offering are all nursery grown of our own growing. Our soil and climate are particularly adapted to the production of well rooted, thrifty young seedling trees that I am offering below. Every farmer should grow his own fence posts, have a woodlot, shade for live stock or at least a windbreak on the north and west sides of the house.

Seedlings shipped F. O. B. Shenandoah except those marked POSTPAID. Allow 20% additional for postage on 12-18 inch seedlings by parcel post. More than 100, 12-18 inch and all other sizes, must go by freight or express. Include some of these seedlings in your fruit tree order of \$10.00 or more and I'll pay the express.

### PRICES ON SEEDLINGS

Variety	Size	Per 25	Per 100	Per 200
Ash, Green .....	12-18 in.	\$ .45	\$ 1.25	\$ 2.00
Ash, Green .....	18-24 in.	.60	1.75	3.25
Box Elder .....	12-18 in.	.45	1.25	2.00
Box Elder .....	18-24 in.	.60	1.75	3.25
Catalpa Speciosa .....	12-18 in.	.45	1.25	2.00
Catalpa Speciosa .....	18-24 in.	.55	1.65	3.00
Catalpa Speciosa .....	2-3 ft.	.65	2.00	3.75
Cottonwood .....	18-24 in.	.30	.80	1.50
Cottonwood .....	2-3 ft.	.40	1.00	1.80
Elm, American White .....	12-18 in.	.40	1.15	2.00
Elm, American White .....	18-24 in.	.60	1.75	3.00
Elm, American White .....	2-3 ft.	.65	2.00	3.75
Locust, Black .....	18-24 in.	.50	1.50	2.75
Locust, Black .....	2-3 ft.	.65	2.00	3.75
Maple, Silver Leaf .....	12-18 in.	.45	1.25	2.00
Maple, Silver Leaf .....	18-24 in.	.60	1.75	3.25
Maple, Silver Leaf .....	2-3 ft.	.75	2.25	4.00
Maple, Silver Leaf .....	3-4 ft.	1.00	3.00	5.75
Mulberry, Russian, POSTPAID	12-18 in.	.80	1.85	3.50
Mulberry, Russian, POSTPAID	18-24 in.	1.00	2.45	4.50
Mulberry, Russian .....	2-3 ft.	.90	2.25	4.00
Osage Orange, POSTPAID .....	12-18 in.	.80	1.85	3.50
Osage Orange, POSTPAID .....	18-24 in.	1.00	2.45	4.50
Russian Olive .....	18-24 in.	.85	2.50	4.75
Poplar, Carolina .....	3-4 ft.	1.10	3.25	6.00
Russian Olive, POSTPAID .....	12-18 in.	2.25	7.00	13.00
Russian Olive .....	18-24 in.	3.00	9.00	17.00
Walnut, Black .....	12-18 in.	1.00	3.00	5.75
Walnut, Black .....	18-24 in.	1.35	4.00	7.50
Walnut, Black .....	2-3 ft.	1.65	5.00	9.50
Willow, Laurel Leaved .....	2-3 ft.	1.10	3.25	6.00
Willow, Laurel Leaved .....	3-4 ft.	1.40	4.25	8.00
Willow, Russian Golden .....	2-3 ft.	1.00	3.00	5.75
Willow, Russian Golden .....	3-4 ft.	1.35	4.00	7.50



Norway Spruce

borders, massing, foundation plantings, and in front of taller evergreens. May be sheared to any height. PRICES: 12-18 in., \$3.50 each; pair, \$6.50. 18-24 in., \$6.00 each; pair, \$11.00.

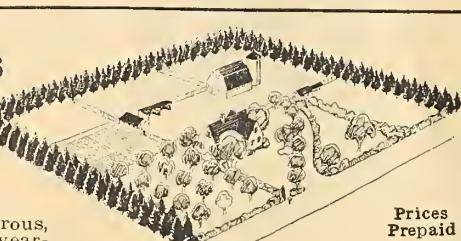
**SPRUCE, BLACK HILL.** This beautiful evergreen is the hardest of all Spruces, symmetrical, compact and bushy in habit of growth. The foliage varies from a delicate bluish tint to a deep green. A slow grower, very good for evergreen tubs. Likes the sun. PRICES: 12-18 in., \$1.50 each; pair \$2.50. 18-24 in., \$2.25 each; pair, \$4.00. 2-2½ ft., \$3.00 each; pair, \$5.50.

**SPRUCE, NORWAY.** A rapid growing Evergreen and very thrifty. Masses of deep green foliage make this tree very desirable for hedging and windbreak purposes. Norway Spruce windbreaks give substantial protection to stock and buildings. Adapted to planting over a wide territory. PRICES: 12-18 in., 90c each; 10 for \$7.00. 18-24 in., \$1.50 each; 10 for \$12.00.



### SEEDLING EVERGREENS

FRIENDS, YOU have wanted seedling Evergreens and up until this year we have not been able to supply them. We now have a limited supply of these vigorous, thrifty, healthy, two-year-old seedlings and transplants for your windbreak. These will be shipped separately from our branch nursery at Fremont, Nebr. after the weather warms up so we can dig. Postpaid



Prices Prepaid

Variety	Size	Per 25	Per 100	Per 200
Scotch Pine .....	6-8 in.	\$1.50	\$ 4.50	\$ 8.00
Scotch Pine .....	8-10 in.	2.00	6.00	11.00
Australian Pine .....	6-8 in.	2.50	7.50	13.50
Australian Pine .....	8-10 in.	5.00	15.00	26.00
White Spruce .....	6-8 in.	2.50	7.50	13.50
Norway Spruce .....	6-8 in.	1.50	3.75	5.50
Norway Spruce transplants	6-8 in.	3.25	8.50	14.50

Plant Fruit Trees Also, For Beauty of Blossom and Enjoyment of the Fruits



Climbing American Beauty

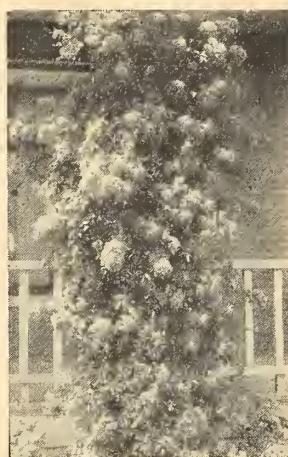
# HARDY ROSES

## It Is Easy to Grow May's Roses

**F**RAGRANT, colorful, beautiful roses have been the most popular of flowers since early times. They are easy to raise and with good treatment they yield a wealth of beautiful flowers.

All our roses can be grown very easily by planting according to directions. Dust your roses thoroughly every ten days with nine parts sulphur and one part of lead arsenate. This will do away with Rose slugs, mildew and black spot. If aphids or plant lice appear, spray with "Evergreen" insecticide. See page 20.

**Any Rose on This Page  
45c Each, 3 for \$1.00  
Your Choice of Varieties Postpaid**



Red Dorothy Perkins

## CLIMBING ROSES

### RED ROSES

**CRIMSON RAMBLER.** An old favorite. Large, red flowers.

**CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY.** Large, red flowers. Very strong grower. Climbing type of the American Beauty.

**DOROTHY PERKINS RED.** (Excelsa.) Intense crimson, immense clusters; similar to Crimson Rambler in color and foliage, hardy and vigorous.

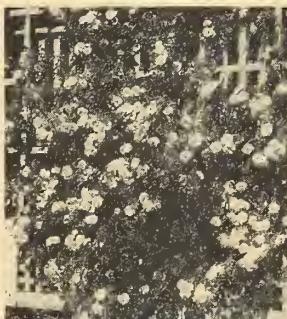
**FAIRFIELD or EVERBLOOMING.** Called the everblooming Crimson Rambler. Flowers are beautiful bright scarlet.

**PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER.** (See color illustration on inside back cover.) This is a bright, vivid scarlet climbing Rose, which is without doubt the most beautiful climbing red Rose in existence. Hardy and thrifty.

### PINK ROSES

**DOROTHY PERKINS PINK.** An old favorite Pink rose; immense clusters numbering sometimes as much as a thousand blooms on one well-established plant. Hardy and stands lots of grief.

**DR. VAN FLEET.** (See color illustration on inside back cover.) This is the large flesh-pink Rose; is a very strong grower, profuse bloomer and the stems are long enough so that they can be used for cut flowers.



Thousand Beauties

### PINK ROSES—Con't

**SEVEN SISTERS.** The name is due to the fact that there is usually a group of seven Roses on each cluster. Flowers are pink and red combined. Very beautiful. You will be pleased with it.

**THOUSAND BEAUTIES or TAUSENDSCHEIN.** The most sensational climbing Rose yet introduced. Blooms profusely from the 1st of June until the last of July. Flowers appear in large clusters, 10 to 15 blooms in a cluster. Colors are white to deep pink in all shades, all in the same cluster. There is no other Rose in cultivation like Thousand Beauties.

### WHITE ROSES

**DOROTHY PERKINS WHITE.** (See illustration in color on inside back cover.) Similar to the pink variety except it is white in color.

**SILVER MOON.** Here is something new and different. The flowers of this beautiful, white, climbing Rose are large and when they open they resemble the bloom of the white clematis. The center of them is golden.

### YELLOW ROSES

**GARDENIA** (Yellow Rambler.) This is that beautiful yellow Rose that looks so pretty "over the garden wall." It is a very strong grower, early flowering, fragrant and free bloomer. Bright yellow color.

## Hybrid Perpetual Roses

**45c Each, Any 3 for \$1.00, Delivered**

### RED ROSES

**AMERICAN BEAUTY.** One of the most famous Roses ever grown. A hardy Rose of large size, rosy carmine. Fragrant.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT.** This is the famous Jack Rose. The fragrant, perfectly formed blossoms come early, are brilliant scarlet crimson and are borne on long strong stems.

**BLACK PRINCE.** Sometimes referred to as the Black Rose. A favorite because of its finely formed dark blood red blooms having a strong and pleasing fragrance.

### PINK ROSES

**PAUL NEYRON.** One of the best Hybrid Perpetuals for outdoor culture. One of the largest roses grown, the flowers sometimes being six inches in diameter. Fragrant clear pink blossoms. The plant is a vigorous grower and hardy.

**MRS. JOHN LAING.** Large, long-pointed buds opening to moderately fragrant, beautiful, soft pink flowers. A gold medal of merit was awarded this plant by the National Rose Society.

### WHITE ROSES

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI.** Pure snow-white. Vigorous grower. Long-pointed buds. Mammoth size blooms. Often called "White American Beauty."

### YELLOW ROSES

**SOLEIL D'OR.** Produces superb conical shaped buds, varying from orange yellow to reddish gold. The flower is very full, center petals incurved.



Frau Karl Druschki



Paul Neyron

# Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

## 45c Ea.; 3 for \$1.00 Delivered



Red Radiance

We offer the world's best Hybrid Tea varieties. These are all thoroughly tested on our trial grounds and nursery. These Roses are all grown under ordinary outdoor conditions, are hardy and adapted, and with ordinary care will bloom the first season.

### RED ROSES

**CRUSADER.** Rich, velvety crimson. An excellent Garden rose.  
**GEN. McARTHUR.** Beautiful crimson. Long stems and very sweet scented. Better for cut Roses than the Teplitz on account of the long stems.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.** (Illustrated in color on front cover.) Bright scarlet. The best bloomer of all the Tea Roses. Purple colored foliage. One of the hardiest of the Tea Roses. Needs very little Winter protection.

**RED RADIANCE.** One of the newer varieties of hybrid Tea Roses. Abundant bloomer.

### WHITE ROSES

**K. A. VICTORIA.** Creamy white and yellow. Very beautiful.

**KILLARNEY WHITE.** The queen of all the white Tea Roses. Pure white. Large flowers.

### YELLOW ROSES

**OPHELIA.** Attractive light-salmon shading to yellow.

**GOLDEN EMBLEM.** Without a doubt one of the best of the newer Yellow varieties. Color a rich, deep golden yellow.

**LADY HILLINGDON.** Deep apricot yellow, shading to orange.

### PINK ROSES

**M. C. TESTOUT.** The Rose that made Portland, Oregon, famous. Rich pink.

**PINK RADIANCE.** (Illustrated in color on front cover) Brilliant, rosy opaline pink. Beautiful shape. Fragrant.

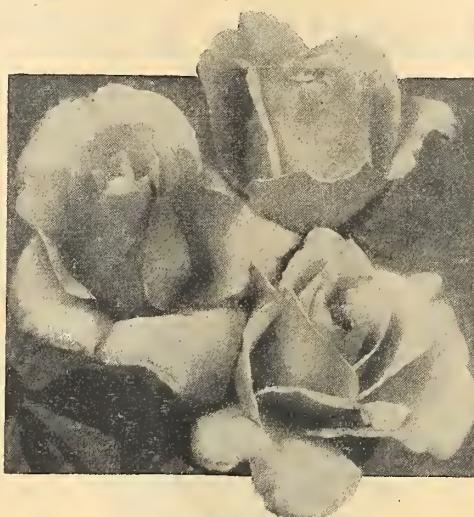
**J. L. MOCK.** Long stems. Beautiful for cut flowers. Rose to bright red color, yellow reflection.

### COPPER-GOLDEN ROSES

**LOS ANGELES.** This is without doubt one of the most beautiful of the Hybrid Tea Roses. Flame pink toned with golden yellow. Beautiful pointed flowers.

**MADAME EDOUARD HERRIOT.** Golden red shaded with yellow and bright scarlet. Called the "Daily Mail Rose" because it won prize offered by that London newspaper for world's most beautiful rose. Wonderful color combination.

**SUNBURST.** (Illustrated in color on front cover.) Intense orange-copper and golden yellow.



Lady Hillingdon

## Extra Hardy Rugosa Roses

Foliage is very attractive, being a heavy green. Bushes bear rich, red colored apples in the Fall. This gives you a succession of very beautiful flowers, foliage and apples over the entire season. They are the hardiest Roses of the entire family. Will grow, and bloom, and thrive as well far north as the prairie regions of Canada.

Any Three for \$1.00 postpaid

### RED ROSES

**CHARLES F. WORTH.** Attractive green foliage. Deep crimson flowers.

**HANSA.** Beautiful red. True Rugosa foliage.

### WHITE ROSES

**SIR THOMAS LIPTON.** Beautiful double flowers. A continual bloomer. Very fine Rose for garden and cemetery planting.

### PINK ROSES

**CONRAD F. MEYER.** Delicate pink.

**BELLE POITEVINE.** The blooms are large and full, the petals gracefully incurved. Bright, clear, lively pink.

## Hardy Roses for Yard and Decorative Planting

**WICHURAIANA or MEMORIAL.** Of Japanese origin; flowers during June and July. The foliage is of a leathery texture, and fragrant, single, pure white flowers. Handsome for covering rockeries, mounds or embankments, especially for cemetery planting.

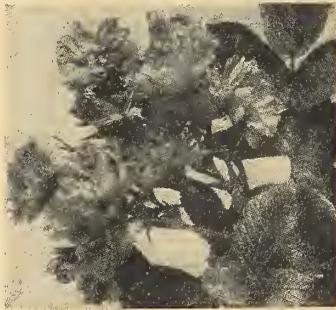
**SWEET BRIER.** Famous for the fragrance of its foliage. Bright, pink flowers, white center.

**PERSIAN YELLOW.** The hardy Yellow Rose of your Mother's garden. Flower semi-double, perfectly hardy.



K. A. Victoria

## Two Choice Garden Roses



**Grootendorst.** The ideal garden Rose. Rosa Rugosa crossed with Red Baby Rambler. Blooms all summer. Strong grower, hardy and disease-resistant. Small red flowers in clusters.

**Hugonis.** A wonderful single yellow Rose. One of the earliest blooming; and a beautiful shrub as well. Fine cut, fern-like foliage. Compact growth.

60c Each.; 3 for \$1.50 Postpaid

## Baby Rambler Rose

### (Dwarf Polyanthas)

This group of Roses is very popular for hedges. They form shapely, compact, bushy specimens, most of them growing in great profusion from early in the season until severe frosts hit them. Simply remove the past season's flower stems in pruning, and you will have plenty of flowers the entire season.

**BABY RAMBLER.** The first red Baby Rambler introduced is of highest value because of compact habit. Very free bloomer.

**GEORGE ELGER.** The purest yellow in this class—a golden coppery shade, passing to a clear yellow upon opening. Called "Yellow Baby Rambler."

**MISS EDITH CAVELL.** Brilliant scarlet overlaid velvety crimson, white eye. Foliage glistening green. Mildew resistant.

**PHYLLIS.** An everblooming Baby Rambler. The foliage of Phyllis is very distinctive, being very dark green. Flowers are brilliant carmine pink, semi-double, borne in large clusters.

**CATHERINE ZEIMET.** A wonderful Rose for hedging purposes. The bush bears very large clusters of small double pure white flowers.



Hansa Rugosa Rose

"Dear Mr. May: Talk about flowers, we sure have them now—seven roses, one Jap Quince, one Weigela, Tulips, Iris, Cannas. One of the roses especially, a Hansa, is in full bloom, with roses which we measured and found were 4 inches in diameter. We think that is dandy for so young a plant!"—Mr. and Mrs. Will Hart, Blair, Neb.

**Any Rose  
on This Page  
45c Each  
3 for \$1.00**

Excepting Grootendorst and Hugonis  
Make up your own collection. Just think of it—your choice of all different varieties, 3 for \$1.00. Postpaid.

# MAY'S PEONIES

## The Most Beautiful Flowers I Know



Festiva Maxima

**Plant Peonies** in the spring or in the fall after September 1st. Dig a good big hole and set the crowns so they will not be covered by more than 2 inches of soil. Press soil firmly around roots, and water thoroughly.

**Rating.** Figures in parentheses after some names are rating given by American Peony Society, on a basis of 10 for perfect.

**50c Each    3 for \$1.25    5 for \$2.00    Postpaid**

**Couronne d'Or** (8.1). Semi-rose type; late midseason. This is the famous "Crown of Gold." Enormous, full ball-shaped bloom. Very compact. Color snow-white reflecting golden-yellow stamens. Delicate carmine pencillings on edges of a few central petals.

**Duchess De Nemours** (8.1). Crown type; early. Superb bloom, cup shaped. Opens sulphur white changing to pure snow white. Beautiful buds.

**Edulis Superba** (7.6). Crown type; early. Called Decoration Day Peony. Never fails to bloom by May 30th. A most beautiful, bright, clear, mauve pink with silvery reflex. Often measures 7 to 8 inches across. June rose fragrance.

**Festiva Maxima** (9.3). Rose type; early. This variety combines enormous size with wondrous beauty. Color white, clear carmine spots on edge of center petals. The most popular white for cut flowers. June rose fragrance.

**Floral Treasure** (7.5). Rose type; early midseason. Very large, full flowers. Clear, even pink shading light at center. Very delicate color. Fragrant. Long stems upholding big, handsome blooms. A unique and charming peony. Fine for cut flowers.

**Fragrans.** Rose type; late. Free flowering, hardy Peony. Medium size, dark pink, almost red. One of the last to remain in bloom.

**Francois Ortegat** (6.7). Semi-rose type. Medium to large deep crimson blooms with golden yellow anthers. Usually in full bloom for Decoration Day.

**Fulgida.** Semi-double, rose type, late midseason. Medium to large. Beautiful amaranth red, golden yellow anthers. Strong, erect grower.

**La Tulipe** (7.5). Semi-rose type; midseason. Enormous, globular, fragrant flowers. Delicate blush white shading to ivory white with red tulip markings on outside of guard petals.

**Louis Van Houtte** (6.9). Semi-rose type; late midseason. Very fine, shapely bloom. Medium to large. Bright violet-red of dazzling effect. An old favorite.

**Mad. De Verneville** (7.9). Bomb type; early. A charming variety. Flowers very full and double, purest white, suffused with daintiest blush, except a few cream colored petals and four red flakes on center petals. Rose fragrance.

Especially free bloomer.

**Madame Ducel** (7.9). Bomb type; midseason. A very large, wonderful, solid, silvery, lilac-pink flower. Very double and compact. Very distinct.

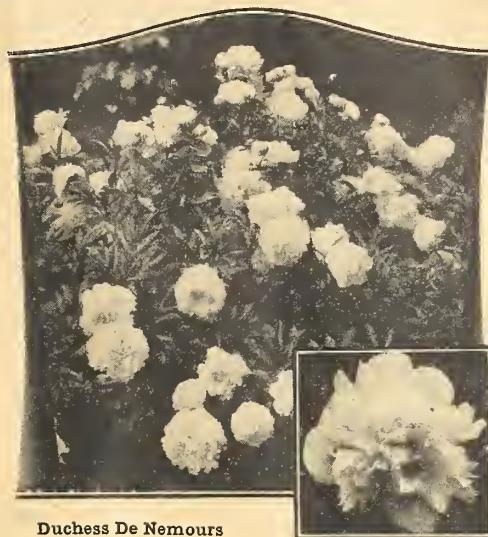
**Queen Victoria** (7.2). Bomb type; early midseason. Popular, well known white. Makes a splendid cut flower. Pretty buds.



Edulis Superba



Felix Crousse, One of the Best Reds



Duchess De Nemours

## Dollar Peony Collections

These are good varieties, not named, labeled as to color, healthy 3-year roots, all having 3 to 5 eyes.

Your choice of Red, White, or Pink. First quality, lowest est price; Post- 3 for \$1.00 paid.

My choice of varieties unlabeled; Post- 4 for \$1.00 paid.



## Other Varieties

We have many more varieties of Peonies than we can possibly list in this limited space, including some new introductions as well as other good varieties. Write us for quotations.

**60c Each    3 for \$1.50    5 for \$2.40    Postpaid**

**Madam Geissler** (7.9). Rose type; midseason. Gigantic, compact, imbricated, well formed bloom on strong, erect stems. Glossy pink shading to bengal-rose on base of petals.

**Prince Imperial.** Semi-rose type; late midseason. An extra fine amaranthine red. Tall grower, free bloomer.

**Shenandoah.** Rose type; very late. A large, bright cherry red bloom. Upright grower.

**75c Each    3 for \$2.00    5 for \$3.25    Postpaid**

**Felix Crousse** (8.4). Rose type; late midseason. A large, brilliant dazzling ruby red. Large size.

**La Perle** (8.5). Rose type, midseason. Very large, compact, globular flowers. Color, white overlaid with lilac blush center. Central petals noticeably reflexed with carmine, sometimes splashed. Upright grower; free bloomer in clusters. Extra fine.

**Rubra Superba** (7.2). Rose type; very late. Especially large, full, double, rich, brilliant crimson blooms without stamens. Highly fragrant and a good keeper.

**\$1.00 Each    3 for \$2.75    5 for \$4.25    Postpaid**

**Karl Rosenfield** (8.8). Semi-rose type midseason. Tall, upright grower of stately habit. A fine bloomer. Every shoot producing a large, rich velvety crimson flower. Very brilliant and striking.

**Marie Crousse** (8.9). Bomb type; midseason. Large, full globular flowers on long strong stems. Soft salmon-pink, shaded glossy satiny lilac. A rare Peony. None prettier.

**Marie Lemoine** (8.5). Rose type; very late. Enormous, massive flowers, 8 to 10 inches across. Color ivory-white, with occasional narrow carmine tracing on edge of some petals. A valuable variety. 90c each.

**Mons. Jules Elie** (9.2). Bomb type; early midseason. Glossy lilac-pink shading to deeper rose at base. Entire flower overlaid with sheen of silver. One of the largest of all Peonies. If cut in the bud, fine for cut flowers. A prize winner.

**Officinalis Rubra.** The early blooming, old, double red Peony of our Grandmother's garden. Earliest of all.

# May's Beautiful IRIS



THIS is the Rainbow Flower—named after Iris, the Greek Goddess of the Rainbow. With all the new varieties there is now almost every color of the Rainbow. Iris stands any amount of dryness and likes plenty of sun.

Just so long as water doesn't stand on the crown or roots, Iris will grow and bloom and thrive.

These varieties are beautiful. Plant them with Peonies or in front of Lilaes or Spirea.

Plant Iris very shallow—only a light covering of soil over the bulb. For fertilizer use Bone Meal or Limestone finely ground. Reset and divide your Iris every four or five years. You can move Iris any time except during the blooming period.

Any 4 15c Iris Postpaid	<b>50c</b>	Any 4 20c Iris Postpaid	<b>70c</b>	Any 5 25c Iris Postpaid	<b>\$1.00</b>
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#### Reddish-Purple

**CAPRICE.** 24 inch stems. Clear cerise color, nearest red. Has rather a grape juice fragrance. Early bloomer. 15c each.

**KHARPUT.** Standards violet; Falls purple. 15c each.

**MME. PACQUETTE.** Almost deep rosy red. 20c each.

**MONSIGNOR.** 24 inch stems. Standards satiny violet; Falls purple. Very late bloomer. 15c each.

#### Blue-Lilac

**QUAKER LADY.** Standards and Falls smoky lavender shading to deep blue. Free bloomer, very showy. 15c each.

**PALLIDA DALMATICA.** Standards and Falls delicate lavender. 20c each.

#### Pink-Lilac

**KHEDIVE.** Beautiful soft lavender and distinct orange beard. Stem 33 inches. Fine for massing. 15c each.

**LOHENGRIN.** Stem 33 inches. Midseason. Silvery pink-mauve. Heavy buds, large flowers on sturdy stems. 15c each.

**MAY QUEEN.** Beautiful pink-lilac. Very early bloomer. 20c each.

#### Bronze

**ELDORADO.** Standards yellowish bronze. Falls violet-purple. 15c each.

**DR. BERNICE.** Standards a beautiful shade of coppery Bronze; Falls rich velvety plum. 20c each.

#### Yellow

**LORELEY.** 30 inch stem. Color of the breast of a wild canary. Its falls are creamy white with purple reticulations blending into a velvety purple mass near the ends; most prolific. 15c each.

**MARY GARDEN.** Standards yellow flushed lavender. Falls white reticulated maroon. One of the newer ones. 20c each.

**PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE.** Beautiful sulphur-yellow. One of the very finest of all Irises. 15c each.

**SHERWIN WRIGHT.** Mighty good yellow lemon chrome. Falls flaring yellow. Stalk low and well branched. 28 inches. 15c each.



Gertrude May

#### KMA Favorites

**Ornata Carmean.** Deep claret-purple. The buds are soot black. One of the finest. 20c each.

**Rosa Rosario.** S. and F. old rose, very nearly pink. Very prolific bloomer. 20c each.

**Alta Dixie.** S. fawn-yellow. F. violet purple on bronze. Very large and fragrant. 15c each.

**Gertrude May.** Stem 32 inch. Midseason. Fiery bronze. F. velvety purple like a pansy. One of the hardiest and free blooming. 25c each.

**Leona.** Clear blue, deeper than Pallida Dalmatica. One of the tallest. Flowers are large and fragrant. 15c each.



Japanese Iris



You Can Have a Beautiful Iris Border Like This at Little Cost if You Plant

#### My Mixed Iris Rainbow Collection

All colors mixed. Not named. If you don't care to have named varieties we can offer you fifteen large sized roots for next spring's blooming. A remarkable value ..... **\$1.00** 15 for Postpaid

#### Beginner's Collection—12 for \$1.00, Postpaid

All named varieties; and all new colors except yellows. Well rooted, thrifty plants, each plant plainly labeled. Excellent for the rock garden. My choice of varieties.

#### White

**MME. CHEREAU.** Frilled. Flowers pure white, pencilled blue border. Keeps well. A favorite at the garden show. 15c each.

**MRS. H. DARWIN.** Standards snow white. Falls white, slightly reticulated with violet at base. Free bloomer. 15c each.

**FAIRY.** Standards white. Falls a soft pearl blue. A very graceful flower on long stems. 20c each.

**RHEIN NIKE.** 36 inch stem. Midseason. Raspberry purple edged white. Originated on the Rhine of Germany. Vigorous grower. 15c each.

**WYOMISSING.** Standards creamy white, suffused soft rose. Falls deep rose base, shading to flesh border. 15c each.



Siberian Iris

#### Siberian Iris

Hardened by years of exposure to the winters of Siberia, it is hardy everywhere. Its lovely flowers reflect the sparkling white of Siberian snows and clear blue of the Siberian sky. A prolific type of comparatively dwarf habit, with narrow, grassy foliage and stems about 2 to 3 feet long. In the following colors:

**BLUE,** 15c each. **DEEP PURPLE,** 15c each.  
**WHITE,** 20c each.

#### Dwarf Early Iris

Pumila or Dwarf Iris are the first Iris to bloom in early April. They are followed by German, Siberian and Japan in rapid succession. Remember our plants are all healthy and vigorous and will produce blooms next season.

**SAPPHIRE.** 4 to 6 inches. It is the blue of our national colors, and with early red and white Tulips make good patriotic planting. 3 for 25c.

**ALBA.** 4 to 6 inches. White, dwarf. 3 for 40c.

**SPRING SKIES.** 6 inches. Sky blue. 3 for 25c.

3 of each color for only 70c.

#### Japanese Iris

The last of the wonderful Iris procession in period of blooming, but for size of flowers, richness of coloring and beauty there is nothing can equal them. Plant in a rich soil, give plenty of water and frequent cultivation. Set them twice as deep as other Iris. Your choice of varieties, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00, delivered.

**GEKKA-NO-NAMI.** (Waves under Moonlight) Creamy white.

**KOKO-NO-IRO.** Violet Purple petals, golden throat.

**KUMO-NO-OBI.** (Band of Cloud.) Clear purple. White halo.

**MAHOGANY.** Dark Red.

**PURPLE AND GOLD.** Purple petals tipped with violet, golden throat.

**UCHIU.** (Universe) S. white tipped blue. F. blue with golden center, white halo.

**ZAMI-NO-MORI.** White slightly shaded blue, very large.

#### My Choice Mixture of Japanese Iris

A collection of Japanese Iris in mixed colors. I've chosen these as the most beautiful of these wonderful Irises. 6 for \$1.00; 15 for \$2.00.

# MAY'S HARDY PERENNIALS—



Achillea

Achillea (Milfoil or Yarrow)

**BOULE DE NEIGE** (Improved Pearl). Double white flowers borne in great profusion. Stands lots of heat. Blooms all summer, 18 inches high.

**MILLEFOLIUM** (Rosy Milfoil). Rosy pink flowers, 18 inches high, blooms July and October.

### Adam's Needle—(Yucca)

**FILAMENTOSA**. Sometimes called "Spanish Sword." Stiff, sword-like leaves, very symmetrical. Flowers midsummer, creamy white. Remarkably drought resistant. Blooms on tall stalks. Heavy, vigorous roots.

**VARIEGATED**. This is our new Yucca. Similar to above except has variegated or striped foliage. 2 year, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

### Anchusa (Alkanet or Bugloss)

**ITALICA**. Hardy and vigorous, growing 3 to 5 feet tall. Blooms during May and June. Flowers exquisite blue.

### Anthemis (Golden Marguerite)

**TINCTORIA**. Also called Yellow Daisy. Finely cut foliage producing large golden yellow flowers. Blooms all summer, 15 inches.

### Aquilegia or Columbine

Good for rockeries.

**CHRYSANTHA**. Bright yellow, long spurred flowers.

**DOUBLE WHITE**. Grandiflora Nivea, very distinctive.

**MAY'S LONG SPURRED HYBRIDS**. Colors of pink, lavender, blue, white and red.

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN COLUMBINE**. Bright blue and white. Long spurred.

**SKINNERI**. Petals yellow with long red spurs. A real beauty.

Prices: All Perennials on this page (unless otherwise priced):  
25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.



Adam's Needle (Yucca)



Bleeding Heart

### Artemesia (Wormwood)

**LACTIFLORA** (White Mugwort). This is a tall growing plant producing spikes of small white very fragrant flowers in August and September. Good for cut flowers. Plant these in your chicken yard—the leaves make good worm medicine.

### Hardy Asters—Michaelmas Daisy

A group of fall blooming plants, for masses of soft coloring in the border. 3 to 4 ft. tall. Do well in any soil with reasonable moisture and care. Divide every third year.

**PURE WHITE**. **NEAREST RED.**  
**OPAL.** **LAVENDER.** **PINK.**

### Astilbe or Perennial Spirea

These semi-hardy, beautiful Perennial Spireas bloom in June and July with many long spikes of attractively colored flowers.

**MIXED**. All colors, our selection. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

### Baptisia—False Indigo

Produces Indigo, pea shaped flowers in June. Attractive foliaged border plant. 2 feet high.

### Blazing Star (Purple Cat Tail)

Bright purple flowers in July and August. Flowers are produced on a comet-like stem; very unusual. Grows about 5 feet tall.

### Bleeding Heart

Prefers slight shade but will make itself at home anywhere.

**FERNS LEAVED EVERBLOOMING**. Continuous bloomer. Has fern-like foliage. Fine for border planting, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**THE OLD FASHIONED VARIETY**. Beautiful heart-shaped, reddish pink flowers. Every garden should have some of these in it. 55c each; 3 for \$1.45.

## MAY'S FAMOUS PERENNIAL COLLECTION

### My Ten Best

**COREOPSIS**. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**R. P. STRUTHERS PHLOX**. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00.

**GAILLARDIA**. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**SWEET WILLIAM** (Scarlet Beauty) Red. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**RIJNSTROOM PHLOX**. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00.

**DELPHINIUM, BELLADONNA**. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**GYPSOPHILA** (Baby's Breath). 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**F. G. VON LASSEBURG PHLOX**. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00.

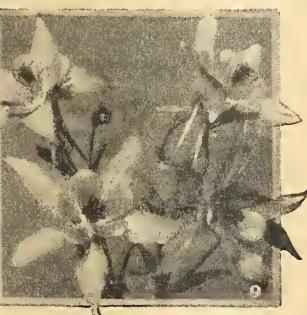
**MAY'S LONG SPURRED HYBRIDS AQUILEGIA** (Columbine). 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**SHASTA DAISY**. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

All Ten for Only **\$1.75 Postpaid**



Gaillardia



Aquilegia or Columbine



Coreopsis



Rijnstroom



Gypsophila [Baby's Breath]

Phlox



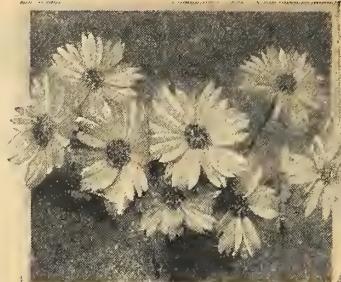
Butterfly Bush



Canterbury Bells



Blue Bird Flower (Veronica)

Coreopsis  
One of the best for cut flowers.

## Prices

Your choice of any perennials on this page (unless otherwise priced) 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00, Postpaid.

### Blue Bird Flower—Veronica

The real Blue Bird Flower. Has long, bright blue spikes which bloom in August and September. An outstanding blue flower. The best of the Veronicas. Height, 18 inches.

### Buttercup—Ranunculus

Upright growing plant, 12 or 15 inches tall. For borders and damp places. Double golden yellow flowers.

### Butterfly Bush—Summer Lilac

Properly a shrub, but freezes to the ground in the winter. New growth starts from the roots like other perennials. Height of plants is 3 to 4 feet, and the plants are covered with long racemes of lilac-like flowers. Blooms in July and August. Called Butterfly Bush because it attracts butterflies. 35c each; 2 for 65c; 4 for \$1.25.

### Campanula—Canterbury Bells

Plant in rich soil. Does well in partial shade. Grows 2 feet high. Blooms in June and July. We have them in separate colors, white, blue and rose.

**White, Blue, Rose, or Mixed.** 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

### Cardinal Flower—Lobelia

Handsome border plant. Dense foliage. Rich, fiery, cardinal-red flowers. 30 inches tall. Blooms in July and August.

### Chinese Lantern Plant

An ornamental variety of Winter Cherry. Produces bright orange-scarlet lantern-like fruits. Good for winter bouquets. Height 2 feet.

## Hardy Garden Chrysanthemums

When all other flowers have dropped their colors, the Chrysanthemums come forth in an array of glory almost defying Winter. Perfectly hardy if soil is not too wet. Heavy rooted plants.

**Price:** 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**INDIAN.** Red.

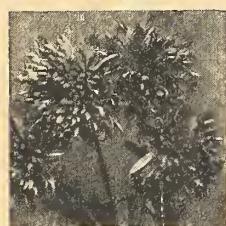
**ROSY MORN.** Silver pink.

**SNOWCLAD.** White.

**MARIE ANTOINETTE.** New Rose.

**BRONZE QUEEN.** Deep Chestnut.

**YELLOW QUEEN.** Yellow.



Chrysanthemum

### Early Flowering Hardy Chrysanthemums

Early Flowering Chrysanthemums are new. We have a few choice varieties to offer this year at 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.50, Postpaid.

**ANGELO.** Beautiful light pink. September, 18 in.

**JAPANESE PINK.** Bright pink.

**MAY'S SUN GLOW.** Rich dark yellow. Late August.

**PROVENCE.** Pale pink shading to white, with yellow center.

### Coreopsis—Yellow Daisy

A beautiful golden-yellow daisy, long-stemmed. Excellent for cut flowers. Blooms continuously over a long season.

### Cornflower Aster

Large lavender-blue, aster-like flowers. Plant grows 18 to 24 inches high, flowering from early July to late October.



Delphinium-Larkspur

### Delphinium— Hardy Larkspur

The cream of all perennials; blooming practically the entire summer. Fine for cut flowers. My stock is grown from the choicest strain of seed. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00 (except May's English Hybrids).

**BELLADONNA.** Sky blue.

**BELLAMOSA.** Dark blue.

**CHINESE BLUE.** A dwarf blue with fine, feathery foliage.

**CHINESE WHITE.** Same form as the blue.

**MAY'S ENGLISH HYBRIDS.** The finest strain of all. Gives you all colors of blue down to purple in doubles and singles. 30c each; 5 for \$1.25.

I guarantee my English Hybrids to be the best money can buy anywhere.

*Plant a Hedge Instead of Building a Fence—More Attractive; Costs Less*

### Digitalis—Foxglove

Flowers grow in stalks 4 to 6 feet high. Choice of

**PURPLE**      **WHITE**      **YELLOW**

**GIANT SHIRLEY HYBRIDS.** Superfine mixture.

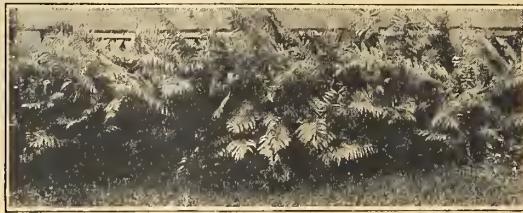
### False Dragonhead

A midsummer blooming perennial growing in clumps 4 to 6 feet high, bearing spikes of dragon-head-like flowers. **PINK** or **WHITE**. (Your choice.)



Digitalis

## FERNS—HARDY OUTDOOR



Why not have a nice bed of Ferns in that shady spot where other flowers would not do so well? I have these Hardy Ferns for shipment from Shenandoah. They are guaranteed to reach you in good condition suitable for planting.

Do not bury Ferns too deep. Plant just deep enough so they are well covered. Put on top of them some moss, leaves, decayed manure or mulch. If you will observe Ferns in the northern woods you will find they grow and thrive in swamps with very little soil to support them.

I am listing the three hardest and believe they will do well and thrive for you. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**OSTRICH.** Has graceful plumes. Very erect. One of the most satisfactory and easiest to grow of all Ferns for open, shady nooks. Use well rotted manure and peat and they will multiply rapidly. Is one of the tallest of the Ferns. Heavy roots.

**INTERRUPTED.** A beautiful fern. Very beautiful cinnamon colored leaves. Does well under cultivation in shady and open places. Heavy roots.

**GOLDIE'S.** Will grow 3 feet high. Lines up with the Ostrich and Interrupted Fern in vigor. Fine for mass effect.

### Hardy Fern Collection

**TWELVE** of the above, my selection, prepaid by parcel post, for \$2.00, or 25 for \$3.75.

### Hardy Blue Flax—Linum

Has fine feathery foliage suitable for rockery purposes. Produces star-shaped blue flowers in July and August.

### Forget-Me-Not—Myosotis

My favorite old-fashioned flower. Excellent for a shady spot in the border. Feel confident you will be pleased with this beautiful Forget-Me-Not flower.

**Funkia**

**BLUE PLANTAIN LILY.** Has broad shiny foliage, producing sky blue flowers in July and August. Foliage wonderful even when not in bloom. Excellent shade plant. Height 2 feet. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**WHITE DAY LILY.** Large, white-flowered variety. Blooms August and September. Likes shady locations. Very scarce. 50c each; 2 for 90c.

**Gaillardia—Blanket Flower**

(Illustrated on page 15.) Improved English strain. Excellent for cut flowers. Long-stemmed flowers of dark reddish brown, petals beautifully shaded. Everblooming. Likes rich soil. Brilliant crimson, orange and vermillion.

**Garden Sage**

The old-fashioned Sage plant used in turkey dressing for Christmas. 3 for 40c; \$1.25 for 10.

**Geum Avens**

**MRS. BRADSHAW.** One of the newer perennials. Foliage suggests the Strawberry. Flowers large, double scarlet; blooms from May to July. 30c each; 3 for 80c.



Golden Glow

**Golden Glow**

**YELLOW.** Old-fashioned Golden Glow. One of the most popular garden plants. Beautiful, double golden yellow flowers in August.

**PURPLE.** Sometimes called Giant Coneflower. Has a deep red cone with purple petals surrounding. Blooms July and August.

**Golden Rod**

Large, golden-yellow terminal panicles. Flowers late summer. 3 to 5 feet high. The state flower of some states. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**Great Sea Lavender—Statice**

Valuable for either border or rockery purposes. Leaves have leathery appearance with immense flower heads bearing purplish-blue minute flowers. Blooms in July and August. Can be dried, making wonderful Winter bouquets for wall vases.



Day Lily

**Gypsophila—Baby's Breath**

Is of very easy culture. Will thrive any place. When in bloom has an abundance of minute filmy white flowers. Should be in every garden. Good for Winter bouquets when dried.

**Hardy Hen and Chickens**

The best of the hardy varieties. Flowers pale red.

**Hemerocallis Day Lily**

Popular hardy plants that succeed everywhere. Grow nicely in light shade.

**FLAVA.** Deep lemon color. Blooms in June.

**FULVA.** Trumpet-shaped flowers, orange color. Blooms in July.

**THUNBERGII.** The late flowering variety, rich buttercup-yellow. Flowers in August. 4 feet high.

**Hardy Zinnia—Heliopsis**

Flowers deep golden-yellow. Dwarf bushy plants. Blooms in July and August. 2 feet high.



Hardy Zinnia

**Hibiscus—Mallow Marvels**

Also known as Rose Mallow. This is indeed a beautiful flower. The largest flower of all perennials. They do best in damp locations. Grow about 3 to 5 feet high. Large leaves and showy.

**PINK, WHITE OR RED.** 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.  
**MIXED COLORS.** 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**May's Superb Hollyhocks**

Stately and majestic. There is nothing finer than the good old-fashioned Hollyhocks.

**DOUBLE PINK, RED, WHITE and YELLOW.** 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**MIXED, ALL COLORS.** 20c each; 3 for 50c.



Hollyhocks



Auratum

Regal Lily

Fire Lily

**Lilium—Lily**

**GOLD-BANDED LILY.** The Auratum of Japan. Splendid Lily to plant in shrubs or plant borders. Very hardy. Flowers white, dotted crimson with a clear gold band running down center of each petal. Mammoth bulbs, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**MADONNA LILY.** "Candidum." Can be planted only in the Fall. Ours is the six-petaled type and is imported from northern France. There will be from 3 to 20 flowers on each stem, snow-white with yellow stamens. Blooms in the open ground about June 20. Orders should be mailed in the Summer, and reservations made for this beautiful Lily. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**FIRE LILY** (sometimes called Russian Lily). Very hardy; blooms May and June, over period of two weeks. Two to three feet tall; Blood Red. 50c each; 2 for 90c.

**REGAL LILY.** Single. June-July. New variety from western China. Hardy in all localities. Flowers are ivory-white striped on the outside with pink and splashed with canary-yellow at the base of the petals. Delightfully perfumed; stems 3 to 5 feet. 2 yr. 35c ea., 4 for \$1.00; 3 yr., 60c ea., 4 for \$1.75.

**SHOW LILY.** Speciosum Rubrum. August. White-spotted with rays of rosy red. Most satisfactory of all the Lilies. Mammoth size bulbs. Should be planted in late Fall or early Spring, planted in Spring, will bloom same season. 40c ea.; 3 for \$1.00.

**YELLOW SHOW LILY** (Henryi). Same form and appearance as Speciosum Rubrum but bright orange-yellow; darker spots. August. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**TIGER.** This is a bright rosy red Lily, covered with black tiger-like spots. Grows 4 to 5 feet and blooms in August. Stands heat well and is a beautiful Lily to plant among the other shrubbery. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**TIGER DOUBLE FLOWERING.** This is a double form of the Common Tiger Lily. Very rare. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

**Lily of the Valley**

There is nothing more beautiful than these dainty little flowers of the Lily of the Valley. They are easy to grow but should be purchased in clumps. We dig a solid square of earth with 10 to 12 pips, which means 10 to 12 individual plants in this clump of dirt. We can furnish these to you in clump form, delivered to your door at 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**Perennial Grass**

**GRACILLIMA.** Very narrow foliage, producing ornamental plumes. Dark green. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**VARIEGATED RIBBON GRASS.** An old-fashioned perennial which is found in practically every garden. Has variegated ribbon-like leaves. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.00.

**Painted Daisy—Pyrethrum**

Very valuable for cut flowers; blooms at intervals throughout the summer. Very hardy and will grow in most any soil.

**GOLDEN FEATHER.** Dwarf golden-yellow foliated variety; yellow flowers in July and August. 10 inches high.

**HYBRIDUM ROSEUM.** Various colors, white to light red. 18 inches high. In full bloom by Decoration Day.

**MAY'S DARK RED.** A new variety of Painted Daisy in a beautiful shade of dark red.

**Perennial Pansy**

**VIOLA CORNUTA.** Not the common Pansy but a very hardy perennial plant. Blooms from May until November, all colors. Shear several times during season so flowers will not go to seed. **MIXED COLORS.**

**Perennial Sweet Pea**

Similar to the annual Sweet Pea, except flowers are more wax-like in appearance. Large flowers. Perfectly hardy. **RED, PINK or WHITE,** 25c each; 5 for \$1.00. **MIXED.** 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**PRICES:** Your choice of any perennial (unless otherwise priced) 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

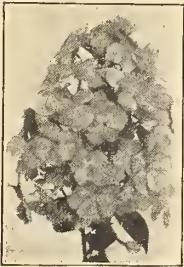
**How We Ship**

Perennials are of a very perishable nature and because of being perishable they should receive special packing and shipping. Therefore, you will receive your perennials from us as a separate shipment, for it would not do to pack them along with the trees and shrubs which you order.

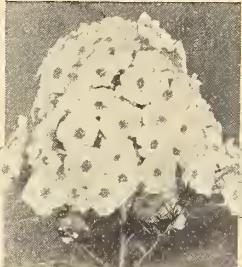


Sweet Pea

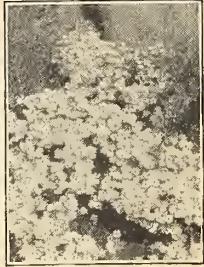
# May's Hardy Phlox



Fernand Cortez



Rosenberg



Phlox Subulata

I guarantee my Phlox will please you, because we ship only plants which have bloomed once.

The ease with which they are cultivated, their long season of blooming from June until late autumn, combined with their varied and beautiful coloring, make Phlox particularly valuable for home planting.

They will stand crowding. They produce a beautiful and harmonious contrast when massed against a background of shrubbery.

Include some of my improved varieties in your perennial garden. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00. Your choice of any 12 Phlox \$2.50 per dozen.

**ATHIS.** Beautiful salmon-pink.

**BRIDESMAID.** White with red eye.

**CHAMPS ELYSEES.** Dwarf grower, rich magenta-crimson.

**ECLAIREUR.** Magenta with white eye.

**FERNAND CORTEZ.** Beautiful deep crimson.

**FRAULEIN VON LASBURG.** White.

**INDEPENDENCE.** Clear white.

**IRIS.** Lavender-pink. Very fragrant.

**MISS LINGARD** (Suffruticosa). Earliest white.

**MRS. JENKINS.** Very beautiful pure white.

**RICHARD WALLACE.** White with crimson eye.

**RHEINLANDER.** Salmon pink, claret eye.

**SPECIAL FRENCH.** Rose pink, red eye.

**SUNSET.** A beautiful lavender-pink with rosy red.

**LA VAGUE.** Mauve with carmine eye.

**MRS. CHARLES DORR.** Beautiful shade of lavender.

**RIJNSTROOM.** Bright crimson-pink, immense flowers.

**ROSENEBORG.** Reddish violet, blood-red eye.

**E. P. STRUTHERS.** Salmon-red.

## Standard Mixed Phlox

Mixed colors: red, white and pink. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75 delivered.

## Phlox Subulata

This is the Dwarf or Mountain Phlox for borders and planting along rockeries. Blooms very early in the Spring, in April and May.

**WHITE.** Fine for contrast.

**PURPLE.** A most pleasing shade.

**ROSEA.** Rose colored flowers.

## Pin Cushion Flower—Blue Bonnet

Soft shade of lavender, blooming from June to September. 18 to 24 inches high.

## Platycodon—Balloon Flower

Very similar to Campanula. Upright habit of growth. 1½ to 2 feet high, producing showy balloon-shaped flowers from July to October. Very good. In either **BLUE** or **WHITE**.

## May's Oriental Poppy

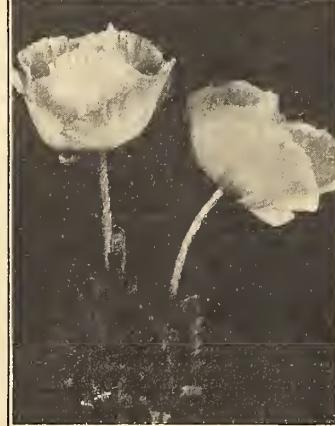
We recommend August or September planting, for this is the time when Poppies are in their dormant state. Orders sent now will be shipped in August.

**MAY'S ORIENTAL HYBRID.** Deep red. 30c each; 4 for \$1.00.

**PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE.** Pale pink. 35c; 3 for \$1.00.



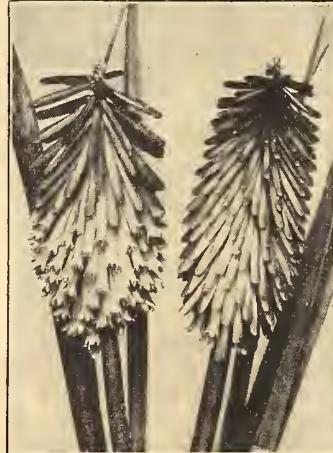
Platycodon



Oriental Poppy

## Prices:

Choice of any perennial (unless otherwise priced) 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00 postpaid.



Red Hot Poker Plant



Shasta Daisy

# MAY'S VIGOROUS CANNAS

**Guaranteed to Bloom the First Season**

CANNAS are the most popular of all bedding plants. Of quick growth and tropical appearance, they will give you an abundance of color over a long period of time. They last from early summer until frost.

All of our Cannas are carefully shipped in a dormant condition.

**Culture.** Plant in May in good garden soil. Water sparingly at first until they start growing, then water liberally. Set the plants 18 inches apart each way. Tall growing kinds in the center and dwarf ones along the edge.



Red King Humbert

## Variegated Flowers With Green Foliage

**GOLDEN GATE.** 4 feet. The flowers open almost pure gold but soon become richly rayed with orange-crimson and apricot center to the throat. 15c each.

**YELLOW KING HUMBERT.** 4 feet. Like Humbert in habit of growth and flowering, and produces golden yellow flowers, blotted red. 15c each.

**MME. CROZY.** 3½ feet. Vermilion-scarlet edge and bright golden yellow. 15c each.

## Red Shades with Green Foliage

**LOUISIANA.** 6 ft. Vivid scarlet. 15c ea.

**PRESIDENT.** 4 feet. Beautiful red, with green foliage; flowers 7 inches across when fully opened. Strong grower. 15c each.

**WINTZER'S COLOSSAL.** 5 feet. Without a doubt the largest flowered Canna yet produced. Flowers of vivid scarlet. Sometimes measuring 8 inches across. 15c each.

In ordering and planting Cannas, note the height of their growth so that when planted in groups, the tall ones will be at the back and the smaller ones will be in front. Try one of our "bed" assortments.

Remember our plants are large, vigorous, dormant, outdoor grown, are not potted plants and are guaranteed to please.

### QUANTITY PRICES:

All 15c Cannas 3 for 40c; 6 for 75c.  
All 20c Cannas 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c.

### ALL CANNAS ARE SHIPPED POSTPAID

## Pink Shades with Green Foliage

**CITY OF PORTLAND.** 3½ feet. The flowers are of the largest size, borne on heavy trusses. The color is a glowing shade of pink. The foliage is substantial and strong, of rich green color. 20c each.

**HUNGARIA.** 3½ feet. Beautiful LaFrance pink. 20c each.

**MRS. ALFRED CONARD.** 4 feet. Soft pink; large flower. 20c each.

## Yellow Shades, Green Foliage

**KING MIDAS.** 5 feet. Deep yellow flowers. 15c each.

**RICHARD WALLACE.** 4 feet. Canary yellow flowers. Very prolific. One of the best yellows. 15c each.

**APRICOT.** 4 feet. A very attractive rich apricot yellow flower. 20c each.



## Try One of My Canna Bed Specials

**Caution.** Remember these plants are large, vigorous, dormant, outdoor grown and not potted plants.

**A 7-foot Canna bed** requires 20 bulbs, 2 Golden Gate for the middle, 6 King Humberts for the second row, 12 Hungaria for the third or outside row. Value \$3.60, special, \$2.10, postpaid

**A 10-foot Canna bed** requires 35 bulbs, 5 Wintzer's Colossal for the inside, 12 Yellow King Humbert for the second row, and 18 David Harum for the third or outside row. Value \$5.75, special price, \$3.95 postpaid

## Varieties With Bronze Foliage

**KING HUMBERT.** 4 feet. Red. Bronze leaves, one of the best. 15c each.

**SHENANDOAH.** 4 feet. Flowers salmon-pink, borne in large clusters; foliage rich ruby-red. 20c each.

**STATUE OF LIBERTY.** 6 to 7 feet. Flowers blazing flame-red. The foliage is of a rich, luxuriant bronzy shade. The leaves are larger than any Canna we know. 20c each.

**WYOMING.** 5 feet. Brilliant orange. Purple foliage. 15c each.

**DAVID HARUM.** 3½ feet. Flowers intense vermillion-scarlet; very prolific. 15c each.

## Cream and White Shades with Green Foliage

**EUREKA.** 4 feet. The best white Canna for all purposes. The large, substantial flowers are very freely produced on strong, vigorous plants. 20c each.

## WATER LILIES—Easy to Grow in Tubs or in Pools

WATER lilies are beautiful and they are easy to grow. Water gardens require no weeding, no hoeing, no watering. Just plant the lilies and watch them grow. If you do not have a pool, plant them in a tub or half barrel—sink the tubs in the ground and plant some other flowering plants, such as perennials, around the edge. Place a few rocks here and there around the outside of the pool and you have a perfect rock garden.

### How to Plant

We call these hardy varieties because they are perennials, but they will not stand freezing. In a pool, plant them in a pail, using very rich soil—use one-third bone meal and two-thirds black dirt, thoroughly mixed together. Place the tuber in the soil until only the crown from which the leaf starts, shows. Put sand or gravel over top of dirt and then sink your pail in the pool. Water to a depth of about eight inches should cover the crown.



Marliacea Chromatella

### Keeping Over Winter

In winter store the pails in the cool basement away from the heat, but do not allow them to freeze. Keep them wet down about every month so the roots will not dry out. Water lilies which are planted in pails should have the soil about the roots renewed each year. Two water lilies, two water hyacinths and two water poppies are the right amount for the small to medium sized pool.

### Choice Roots—Prepaid

**MARLIACEA ALBA,** white.....\$1.00

**MARLIACEA CARNEA,** soft flesh pink ..... 1.50

**MARLIACEA CHROMATELLA,** bright yellow ..... 2.00

**WATER HYACINTHS.** Valuable for fish. Sometimes bloom with lilac-rose trusses. Each 30c or \$1.00 for 4.

**WATER POPPIES.** Bright yellow poppy-like flowers. Each 30c or \$1.00 for 4.

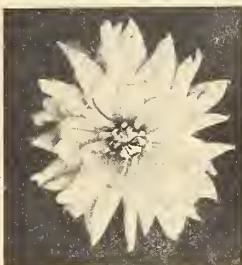
## May's Popular DAHLIAS

THESE showy and pretty flowers are very popular. They are one of the most beautiful summer-flowering bulbs. Dahlias are excellent for cut flower purposes. Here are four distinct types; namely, Cactus, Decorative, Show and Peony Flowered Dahlias.

**When to Plant.** Dahlias should be planted from May 15th to June 15th. A common mistake is made in planting them too early. If planted too early the plant makes a rank growth in early season and by the time the buds begin to form, dry weather comes along, hardens the wood and blasts the flowers.

Dahlias like a cool atmosphere and in order to get lots of blooms, water frequently. If you are not ready to plant when you receive your bulbs, open up the package and place them in a box of soil or sand so they will not rot.

**When to Dig Dahlia Roots.** Dahlias should be dug as soon as the frost has killed the tops. They should not be left too long after being frosted, for these frosted tops are sometimes harmful to the bulbs. Be sure and dig them before the ground freezes, for Dahlia bulbs cannot stand freezing. Great care must be taken in digging the bulbs to see that the tuberous bulbs are not broken from the crown for Dahlia bulbs must have a crown in order to grow.



Cactus Dahlia

We try to fill your order as you specify but we sometimes run short on different varieties and we suggest you tell us your second choice, also.

### Cactus Dahlias

**EDDIE MAY.** Our best Dahlia. The cream of the list. Rich orange bronze, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85.

**KREIMHILDE.** Shell pink, shading to white in the center.

**EARL OF PEMBROKE.** Deep purple.

**MARION THOMPSON.** Pure lemon yellow. Flowers large. 30c each; 80c per 3; \$1.50 per 6.

**PERLE de LYON.** Pure white. 30c each; 80c per 3; \$1.50 per 6.

**GEN. BULLER.** Rich, velvety crimson.



Decorative Dahlia

### Decorative Dahlias

**AMERICAN BEAUTY.** Bright crimson. 20c each; 3 for 55c; 6 for \$1.00.

**STARLIGHT.** Stripes of red on white background.

**GOLDEN SUN.** Golden yellow, shaded lighter in the center.

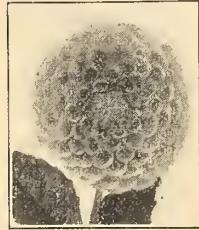
**JACK ROSE.** Brilliant crimson-red.

**MINA BURGLE.** Dark vivid red. 30c each; 80c per 3; \$1.50 per 6.

**MOONBEAM.** Clear canary yellow. 30c each; 80c per 3; \$1.50 per 6.

**OBAN.** A delightful and attractive mauve.

**SYLVIA.** Soft pink with lighter center.



Show Dahlia

**BON TON.** Ball shaped flower of deep garnet red.

**MARY'S WHITE.** Pure white. 30c each; 80c per 3; \$1.50 per 6.

**ORA DOW.** Purple tipped lavender.

**PEARL HILDA.** Pink. 20c each; 3 for 55c; 6 for \$1.00.

**STRADELLA.** Large purple.

**YELLOW DUKE.** Primrose yellow.

### Show Dahlias

EFFECTIVE against Cucumber and Melon Beetles, Cabbage Worms, Rose Slugs, Aphids, Leaf Hoppers and most other plant insects including cutworms.

NON-POISONOUS EVER GREEN kills only insects—it is harmless to man, live stock, birds and pets.

EASY TO USE—Just mix it with water and stir. No need for constant agitating—EVER GREEN stays in solution and won't clog sprayers.

#### List Prices

1 oz. bottles	\$0.35
6 oz. bottles	1.00
16 oz. bottles	2.00
32 oz. can	3.50

Can be mailed. Prices Postpaid.

#### Tobacco Dust

Leading entomologists are familiar with Ever Green and have endorsed it as a safe, effective killing agent.



### EVERGREEN—The New Mailable Insecticide



### May's Big Value Dahlia Collection

Representative collection of ten kinds at a money saving price. The choicest and finest flowers in a variety of colors.

**EARL OF PEMBROKE,** deep purple.

**EDDIE MAY,** bronze.

**GEN. BULLER,** rich velvety crimson.

**STARLIGHT,** red on white.

**GOLDEN SUN,** golden yellow.

**ORA DOW,** purple tipped lavender.

**MARY'S WHITE.**

**AMERICAN BEAUTY,** bright crimson son.

**JACK ROSE,** crimson.

**LLUVIA D'ORO,** shower of gold.

10 Different—\$2.65 value.

Special Price, postpaid . . . . . \$2.00

2 Collections for \$3.75.



Peony Flowered Dahlias

### Peony Flowered Dahlias

All 30c each; 3 for 80c; 6 for \$1.50.

**FRANCES MAY.** Large rosy purple. A good one.

**DUKE HENRY.** Brilliant red.

**SONORA.** A new shade of old gold.

**LLUVIA D'ORO.** Shower of gold, soft orange red shaded to golden yellow.

**MRS. BOLLES.** Rose Salmon blended with gold.

### Mixed Dahlias

In growing a quantity of Dahlias every year there is bound to be an over-supply on some varieties. This is an elegant chance to get some real Dahlias at a very moderate price. We can sell these to you at 15c each; 70c per 5; \$1.25 per 10.

## Free Your Garden from Insect Pests With May's Insecticides



### EVERGREEN—The New Mailable Insecticide



### Hammond's Slug-Shot

Get a better crop of potatoes by ridding the field of potato bugs. Hammond's Slug Shot is better than Paris Green for the reason that it is much cheaper. Slug Shot is absolutely reliable for killing cabbage worms, currant worms, all kinds of plant eating worms on cucumbers, melons, pumpkins and squashes; also slugs and chicken lice. Be sure to have a package of Slug Shot on the shelf ready for use when the bugs appear. By express or freight, 1-lb. carton, 25c each; 5-lb. bag, 75c; 10-lb. bag, \$1.25; 25-lb. bag, \$2.75.

Tune in on KMA Every Day—Always Something Interesting on the Air

# Glorious Gladiolus—Fine For Cut Flowers

(See Gladiolus in Color on Back Cover)

**T**HE Gladiolus is the most attractive of all summer flowering bulbs and is particularly worth while because it is one of the best types of cut flowers in existence.

The flowers are of almost every desirable color. By cutting the spikes when two or three flowers are open and placing them in water, each flower will open beautifully.

They can be planted anytime up to mid-summer, four or five inches deep. The bulbs should be taken up in the fall. The flowers will bloom from early in August until during October.

I am offering a very complete line of Gladiolus. All of the bulbs are of large size. They are sent post-paid.

Variety	Color	2 For	5 For	10 For
ALICE TIPLADY.	A deep orange-saffron. Very early....	\$15	.25	.45
ALBANIA.	A large, snowy white variety. Ruffled....	20	.35	.65
AUTUMN QUEEN.	A very late, creamy pink....	15	.25	.45
ALSHIRA.	Dark wine red. A good one....	15	.25	.45
BARON J. HULOT.	The only true purple Gladiolus....	25	.50	.90
BYRON L. SMITH.	A beautiful lavender pink....	15	.25	.45
CRIMSON GLOW.	A large dark red. Very showy....	20	.35	.65
CARMEN SYLVIA.	Pure white. A vigorous grower....	15	.25	.45
EARLY SNOWFLAKE.	The earliest white....	15	.25	.45
E. J. SHAYLOR.	Deep pink. Large and ruffled....	15	.25	.45
GLENDALE.	A tall, rich purple....	15	.25	.45
GIANT NYMPH.	Large, salmon pink. Extra good shading....	25	.50	.90
*GRETCHEN ZANG.	A large, beautiful pink with scarlet shading....	15	.25	.45
*GOLD CUP.	Bright canary yellow. Very beautiful....	15	.30	.60
HERADA.	A deep mauve. Immense flowers on tall spike....	15	.25	.45
JEWELL.	A clear salmon pink with golden shading....	15	.25	.45
*JOE COLEMAN.	A vigorous, rich deep red....	20	.35	.65
LE MARECHAL FOCH.	A delicate soft colored pink. Large loose flowers....	15	.25	.45
*MRS. H. E. BOTHIN.	Geranium pink with dark throat. A very late variety. One of the loveliest Ruffled Varieties....	20	.35	.65
MRS. FRANK PENDLETON.	Rose pink with scarlet throat. Large, vigorous and popular....	15	.25	.45
MARSHAL FOCH.	Salmon pink. Large and heavily ruffled....	25	.50	.90
PRIDE OF LANCASTER.	Orange-salmon. Very attractive ruffled variety....	15	.25	.45
*PEACE.	Large, pure white. Late....	15	.25	.45
*ROMANCE.	A beautiful combination of salmon and smoky rose....	20	.35	.65
ROSE ASH.	Our best seller. Old rose and ashes of roses....	20	.35	.65
1910 ROSE.	Beautiful pink. Early, and fine color....	15	.25	.45
REMEMBRANCE.	Rosy pink with scarlet markings. Large and ruffled....	15	.25	.45
*SCARLET PRINCEPS (Virginia).	A brilliant scarlet....	15	.25	.45
TWILIGHT.	Cream color changing to buff. Heavily ruffled....	25	.50	.90
*TYRIAN BEAUTY.	One of our best varieties, a beautiful shade of tyrian rose....	15	.25	.45
WHITE WONDER.	A large open-flowered white variety....	20	.35	.65

\*—Illustrated in color on Back Cover.

## Tuberoses

Waxy white fragrant flower which grows on tall stems, frequently from 30 to 50 flowers on one plant. Large sized bulbs, guaranteed to bloom the first season. 2 for 15c; 4 for 25c; 60c per dozen.

Plant Tuberoses one inch below the surface in a sunny position. They should be taken up in the Fall after first frost. Ours are the Mexican and Pearl varieties, the most satisfactory blooming.

## Madeira Vine

This popular old-fashioned vine will cover a large space in a short time. Fleshy heart-shaped leaves of light green; numerous racemes of feathery white flowers of delicious fragrance. Strong tubers. Not hardy. 6 for 25c; \$3.75 per 100.

## Early Spring-Blooming Flowers

Write for my big Summer and Fall catalog for seasonable merchandise, and also fall-planted bulbs for early spring flowers.



Giant Nymph

## Big Value in Gladiolus

### The Busy Man's Flower

We grow only the best standard varieties of proven worth and beauty. The best selections we offer are grouped in these collections.

## Half Price Collection

8 KINDS—TWO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING.—Large Blooming Size Bulbs.

ALICE TIPLADY—Orange-saffron.

GLENDALE—Purple.

LE MARECHAL FOCH—Soft pink.

REMEMBRANCE—Rosy pink.

ALBANIA—Snowy white.

E. J. SHAYLOR—Deep pink.

HERADA—Deep mauve.

MRS. FRANK PENDLETON—Rose-pink.

16 Large Blooming Size Bulbs

Value \$1.25

65c

Postpaid

## Sunburst Collection

Mrs. May's Favorite Varieties

8 KINDS—just what the name suggests—a real sunburst of wonderful colors. This collection is illustrated in color on the back cover. TWO EACH of the following

MRS. H. E. BOTHIN—Geranium pink.

ROMANCE—Salmon and rose.

GOLD CUP—Canary yellow.

TYRIAN BEAUTY—Tyrian rose.

PEACE—Pure white.

GRETCHEN ZANG—Pink.

JOE COLEMAN—Deep red.

SCARLET PRINCEPS—Scarlet.

16 Large Blooming Size Bulbs

Value \$1.35

98c

Postpaid

## May's Famous Rainbow Gladiolus Collection

We grow Gladiolus on a large scale, and naturally have a great many varieties in all colors. This mixture includes practically all colors. A good mixture guaranteed to give satisfaction to those who want Gladiolus of all colors for their Summer bouquets. Guaranteed Blooms first year.

50 1-inch bulbs, special low price

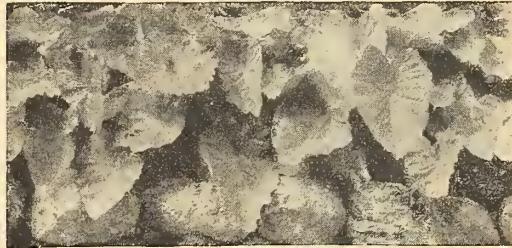
\$1.00

Postpaid



## Caladium—Elephant Ears

This is a beautiful tropical looking plant which has large leaves that resemble elephant ears. These plants will grow 6 to 7 feet high, with leaves 3 to 4 feet long, and 2 1/2 feet wide. 20c each; 2 for 35c, 6 for \$1.00, large size bulbs.



Plant Elephant Ears for a Tropical Effect

# May's Bargains in House and Garden Plants

## Sweet Scented Geraniums

**NUTMEG**—Exquisite pink flowers, nutmeg scented. 25c.

**SKELETON LEAF**—Deeply cut leaves, cerise flowers. 25c.

**OAK LEAF**—Foliage strongly fragrant. Flowers light lilac. 25c.

**CUT-LEAF ROSE**—Beautiful rose scented foliage. Flowers rich pink. 25c.

**LADY MARY**—Lemon scented pelargonium-like foliage. Cerise blotched crimson. 25c.

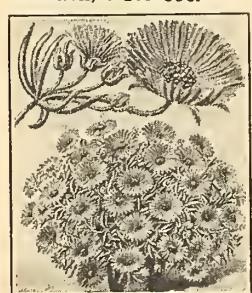
**SPECIAL OFFER**—Any 3 of the above 69c; all 5 for \$1.15.



Hardy Carnation

## Hardy Carnation Crimson King

Blooms all summer; never a day that you cannot cut blossoms. Color, a rich crimson. Absolutely hardy; will live out in the garden during the winter. 30c each, 3 for 85c.



Fink Wax Plant

## Wax Plant (*Mesembryanthemum*)

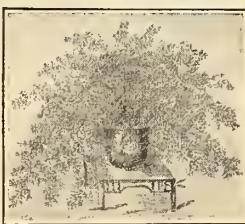
Frosted, wax-like appearance. Beautiful pink flowers at all times. 25c each.

**Pansy Geranium**  
**Easter Greeting**

Blooms from Winter until Fall. Color, fiery amaranth red, marked with brown and crimson. 35c each.

### Asparagus Sprengerii

(Feather Fern.) Deep green, plume-like foliage. Will thrive under practically all conditions. 26c ea.; larger plants 50c and 75c.



Asparagus Sprengerii



Porch Hydrangea

## Porch Hydrangeas

For the Porch, Lawn and Garden.

**RADIANT**. Deep rosy-carmine. Large-leaved, showy foliage. 30c each; 3 for 85c.

**AVALANCH**. Large white; an easy forcing variety. 30c.

**BLUE BELLS**. One of the finest sorts. Very attractive. 30c each; 3 for 85c.

**LA FRANCE**. Fringed delicate rose. 30c.

**SPECIAL OFFER**. One each of the four Porch Hydrangeas for \$1.08.

## Best Geraniums of All Kinds



Double Geranium—Fireball

## Double Geraniums

**FIREBALL**—Best of all, bright dazzling scarlet blooms. 25c.

**BUCHNER**—Flowers purest white, and very large. 22c.

### BEAUTE POITEVINE

Rich apricot shading to copper with white eye. 20c.

**AROSA**—Shrimp pink shading to white. 24c.

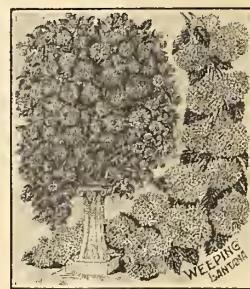
**JEAN OBERLE**—Peach pink graduating to white. 26c.

**JEAN VIAUD**—Bright rosy-pink blotched with white. 22c.

**MRS. LAWRENCE**—Immense blooms. Soft salmon rose. 25c.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—Any 5 Geraniums for \$1.08; all 8 for \$1.71.

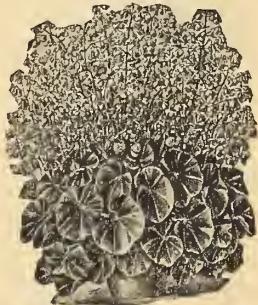
**DUCHESS DE MONTMORT**—Nearest blue Geranium. Enormous size, brilliant purple. 22c.



Weeping Lantana

## Rex Begonia

Mammoth leaves of rich metallic lustre and colors blending from brightest green, glistening silver and orange to beautiful plum hues. Flowers blush-pink. 40c each. 3 Rex, all different, \$1.10.



Beefsteak Begonia



Ostrich Plume Fern

## Decorative Ferns

**FLUFFY RUFFLES**. Dark feathery foliage.

**WANNAMAKER**. Graceful fronds.

**WHITMANI**. Dense and compact.

**BOSTON**. Easy, rapid grower.

**VERONA**. Exceedingly graceful.

**OSTRICH PLUME**. Wide feathery fronds.

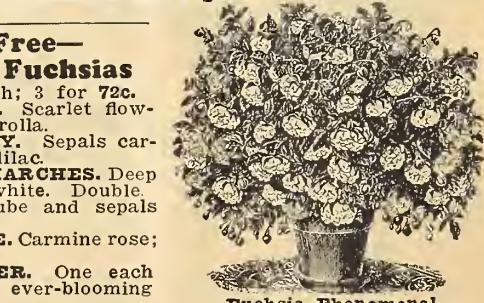
Price, any variety, 30c

each; large size 48c

Extra large size 75c and \$1.50.



Mammoth Rex Begonia



## Giant Free— Blooming Fuchsias

Price, 250 each; 3 for 72c.

**PHENOMENAL**. Scarlet flowers; purple corolla.

**GIANT BEAUTY**. Sepals carmine, corolla lilac.

**GLOIRE DES MARCHES**. Deep scarlet and white. Double.

**SPECIOSA**. Tube and sepals carmine.

**BLACK PRINCE**. Carmine rose; extra large.

**SPECIAL OFFER**. One each of above five ever-blooming fuchsias. 95c.



Christmas Cactus

## Christmas Cactus

Never fails to flower. Long, drooping crimson-scarlet blooms. 35c each.

## Weeping Lantana

Graceful, drooping habit; grows very rapidly and blooms continually summer and winter, producing large clusters of flowers of lilac or rosypink. 22c each, 3 for 60c.



Fuchsia Phenomenal

# FRUIT TREES

## FROM NURSERY HEADQUARTERS

### Yes! Prices Are Lower

I HAVE grown fruit trees for a great many years—lots of them. They are very popular and we are offering these at even lower prices this year than we have ever had before. We are growers of nursery stock—grow all of our trees and shrubs right here at Shenandoah, so we know they are hardy and will give you the results you have a right to expect.

About new varieties—lots of folks ask us if we have new and different varieties other than those listed in our catalog. We aim to grow and furnish the cream of all the varieties best adapted for planting—those that have real merit. If we don't have just the variety listed that you want, let me hear from you. We may be able to furnish it, as we are growing a number of varieties of trees and shrubs which lack of space prevents us from putting in the catalog.

Don't forget that this year I am sending everyone who sends in a nursery order, a free planting book telling you just exactly how to plant.



Stayman's Winesap

### Prices on Standard Apples

	Size	Each	Per 10	Per 25
Express or freight size, 2 yrs. well branched.....	4-6 ft.	\$0.45	\$4.00	\$8.75
Postpaid, 2 yr. branched.....	3-4 ft.	.40	3.25	6.75
Postpaid, 1 or 2 yrs.....	2-3 ft.	.25	2.00	4.00

### About Transportation

All orders for Nursery stock listed as MAIL SIZE will go post paid or prepaid express. All orders for Nursery stock listed as EXPRESS or FREIGHT SIZE, amounting to \$10.00 or over, will go prepaid everywhere except as noted.

## APPLES

What you are looking for is good Apples. I can furnish them. The returns you will get from my good Apples will be steady and sure.

I grow only tried and tested varieties. All the trees that I sell are two years old and have three year old roots. They are sure to grow, giving great satisfaction to you, when they receive the usual, necessary care.

### Summer Apples

Although we list both large and small sizes of trees, let me recommend the planting of our 4 to 6 foot trees. These are particularly vigorous with heavy roots, and we know from experience that they will do better over a period of years than the small sizes.

**BENONI.** A very fine Summer eating and dessert Apple. Early bearing. August. Medium size, orange-yellow, red striped.

**DUCHESS.** Season July and August. Very hardy. Red striped; juicy. The best quality for cooking and market purposes.

**EARLY HARVEST.** Pale yellow; season July. Very fine for eating and cooking. One of the very best Apples for home use. Annual cropper.

**RED JUNE.** Earliest Apple. Fruit small, uniform. High quality eating Apple.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** Skin clear white, yellow when ripe. Very tender, juicy; good eating and cooking. Early market variety. Bears when very young. Tree hardy. Ripens in July.



Northwestern Greening

### BIG SIX Back Yard Apple Collection

Friends, here's a choice assortment of trees for back lot or fill-in planting. All are good for either eating or cooking and all are hardy.

1 Red June      1 Yellow Transparent  
2 Jonathan      1 Grimes Golden  
1 Delicious

**\$2.20**

All two-year old, 4-6 feet branched. Six fine trees at this special price of.....

Two Big Six Collections for \$4.00

### Autumn Apples

**FAMEUSE.** (Snow Apple.) Flesh snow-white. Excellent flavor. Tree quite hardy. Season November to January. Eating, cooking, market.

**WEALTHY.** Best known of all Fall Apples. Valuable and extensively grown everywhere. Free from disease and long lived. Striped bright red; quality excellent. Its planting increases every year because it pays. It fills the gap of ripening between Duchess and Jonathan.

**MAIDEN BLUSH.** Fruit medium to large. Pale yellow with crimson blush. Best for cooking.

### Winter Apples

Winter apples deserve a place in the home orchard as well as the summer varieties. There is no fruit more delicious for eating and cooking. Because these varieties keep longer, they are also the principal commercial Apples throughout the country.

There are extra profits in Apple growing and I hope you take advantage of them with my trees. When they are properly cared for and the conditions are such that Apples can be grown, they will yield good crops yearly.

Out of hundreds of varieties we offer you only those which we know through years of experience will be absolutely hardy and satisfactory in your section. Fruit growers and home owners who have tried our trees for several years know that May's is the best place to order if you want good trees.

**BEN DAVIS.** Bears young. Fruit large sized, red striped. Good keeper. January to April.

**GANO or BLACK BEN DAVIS.** Dark red apple. Similar quality of Ben Davis. Cooking.

**GRIMES GOLDEN.** This is the king of the yellow Apples. It has a spicy flavor. It is one of the most valuable eating Apples ever introduced. Beautiful yellow color.

**JANET (Improved Jeniton).** This is the Apple which our grandfathers used to grow, except we have the improved variety which is much larger than the small Jeniton. Will keep until the first of May. Especially fine for cider and eating.

**JONATHAN.** A universally liked, bright red Winter Apple. Has a rich flavor. Valuable over a wide territory. Especially good in Missouri River Valley. We raise the finest Jonathans in the world here in the middle west. Plant 10 or 12 trees this year.

**MAMMOTH BLACK TWIG.** A beautiful large red Apple from Arkansas. Considered superior to Winesap, although not so juicy. More or less mealy. Very showy. A bearing tree of Mammoth Black Twig is a beautiful sight.

**MAY'S RED DELICIOUS.** The most popular of all eating apples. We sell as many Delicious trees as Jonathan. Famed for its juicy, crisp flesh with a delightful perfume. Delicious is a good keeper and sells readily at high prices as a fancy apple. Try May's Red Delicious in your orchard.

**NORTHWESTERN GREENING.** Long keeper, keeping until April. Very hardy. Apples extremely large. Pale yellow. Excellent flavor.

**RED WINESAP.** Smaller than Stayman's Winesap, but a favorite everywhere. A good keeper; red and juicy.

**ROMANSTEM.** Fruit medium size. High quality. Yellow. Excellent for eating or cooking.

**STAYMAN'S RED WINESAP.** An improved variety of the old Winesap and much larger. Excellent for market, cider, eating and cooking.

**TOLMAN SWEET.** The most valuable sweet Apple for baking, and other culinary purposes. Unexcelled for spicing. Beautiful yellow, slightly tinged with red. Will keep until April.

# CRAB APPLES

Crab Apples are especially fine for home use, for making cider, preserves and jelly. They are very hardy. My trees are all two-year branched and come to you trimmed and ready for planting.

**HYSLOP.** Large, deep red. Ripens in September. Excellent quality, fine for preserving. A fruiting tree of Hyslop is a beautiful sight.

**RED SIBERIAN.** Season, September. Beautiful red. Grows in clusters and tree bears very young.

**WHITNEY.** Fruit large. Light yellow shaded and striped red. Good for dessert and cooking.



Whitney

	Size	Each	Per 10	Per 25
Express or freight size, 2 yrs. well branched.....	4-6 ft.	\$0.45	\$4.00	\$8.75
Postpaid, 2 yr. branched.....	3-4 ft.	.40	3.25	6.75

## RICHARED DELICIOUS APPLE      My Solid Red Delicious Apple

Richared is the apple I have been telling you about over K.M.A. It is a dandy for the home and farm. The flavor is wonderful. I know you'll like them.

### The Best Keeping Delicious—Richared

Usually Delicious have been hard to keep. They have to be picked full ripe to get the color and flavor. The flesh would not stand up in the cave or storage. Richared does keep well in the cave. It can be picked when solid red in color yet hard ripe inside.

#### I GROW RICHARED

Yes, I'm growing it and the trees are certainly well rooted and thrifty. The agreement below obligates you only not to sell, give away or propagate the trees of Richared. Order today—our supply of Richared is limited. Remember it's solid red.

	Doz. Each	Lots Each	25 or More Each	
2 yr. 4-6 ft. branched.....	\$1.75	\$1.00	\$0.85	
1 yr. 3-4 ft. Whip trees.....	1.00	.85	.75	Postpaid
1 yr. 2-3 ft. Whip trees.....	.80	.70	.65	Postpaid

### This Agreement Must be Signed and Sent With Your Order for Richared

TEAR OUT ON THIS LINE

PURCHASE AGREEMENT OF "RICHARED (Trade Mark Reg.) DELICIOUS" APPLE TREES

The following agreement between the undersigned and May Seed & Nursery Company refers to the purchase by the undersigned of Richared Delicious trees. In consideration of the agreement of the undersigned not to give away or sell or permit anyone else to give away or sell or take any Richared Delicious trees or their progeny or scions, buds or cuttings from these trees or their progeny, or any other Richared Delicious trees or their progeny that may be furnished to the undersigned in the future by May Seed & Nursery Company for a period of twenty-five (25) years after any such trees are so furnished, and the further consideration of \$....., the EARL E. MAY SEED and NURSERY COMPANY agrees to furnish.....

.....Richared Delicious trees to the undersigned. The undersigned agrees in case of disposition of the property on which any Richared Delicious trees are planted, to make this agreement a condition of the transfer.

Date.....19.....

Name .....

Address .....

Name of Nursery Company:  
EARL E. MAY SEED & NURSERY COMPANY

By ..... Earl E. May, President.

# CHERRIES

## For Pies and Canning

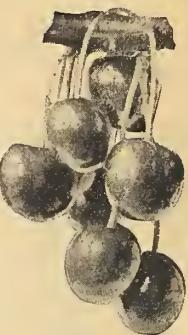
See Illustration In Color On Inside Back Cover

Remember the good old-fashioned Cherry Pies? At the mention of them my mouth waters. Pies like that are not possible unless you have good fresh Cherries. I can supply you with good trees to grow them.

Plant a tree or two of both the Sweet and Hardy Red varieties. They are easy to grow and bear heavily. Practically no pruning is necessary except for the formation of a head. Hardy Red Cherries should be planted 15 feet apart each way, while the Sweet varieties should be about 20 feet apart.

#### HARDY RED CHERRIES

These Hardy Red are of slower growth, do not attain so large a size and are more hardy than Sweet varieties. My Cherry trees are all budded.



Montmorency

	Size	Each	Per 5	Per 10
Express or freight size, 2 yr. branched.....	4-5 ft.	\$0.65	\$3.00	\$5.50
Postpaid, 2 yr. branched.....	3-4 ft.	.50	2.35	4.50
Postpaid, 1 yr. ....	2-3 ft.	.40	2.00	3.50

**EARLY RICHMOND.** English Pie Cherry. This is the earliest and most popular variety. Very fine for pies, dessert, cooking and canning. Ripens in June. Beautiful red color.

**MONTMORENCY.** Just two weeks after the Early Richmond starts ripening, Montmorency comes on. It is the largest red Cherry. Better for canning on account of its size and quality. Most popular market variety.

**ENGLISH MORELLO.** The big wine-red Cherry. Ripens later than Montmorency and is especially good for canning and late Cherry pies. Too rich to eat off the trees, but be sure and try it for pies and preserves.

#### SWEET CHERRIES

Sweet Cherries are not adapted to this part of Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and the Dakotas. South of the Iowa line, varieties such as Black Tartarian and Lambert thrive quite well. The Schleihahn and Yellow Glass fruit as far north as Des Moines.

	Size	Each	Per 3
Express or freight,.....	4-5 ft.	\$0.75	\$2.15
Postpaid .....	3-4 ft.	.65	1.85

**BLACK TARTARIAN.** Very large. Black. Juicy and rich. Season June.

**LAMBERT.** One of the largest. Dark purplish red. Seed small. Hardy. July.

**SCHLEIHAHN.** This is a Sweet Cherry, fruit jet black. A hardy variety fruiting as far north as Des Moines. Fruit is the same high quality as Yellow Glass, in fact, they are the sister Sweet Cherries of the middle West. 4-5 ft. budded, \$1.25; 3-4 ft. budded, \$1.00.

**Yellow Glass Cherries**  
The Finest Sweet Cherry I Can Grow

Yellow Glass is the hardest Sweet Cherry. A sister to the Schleihahn. A beautiful golden-yellow cherry, deliciously sweet, and hardy as far north as Des Moines. Ripens two weeks later than Richmond. Meat is solid and juicy.

If you have ever tasted Sweet Cherries you will want a Yellow Glass in your yard. I have this tree growing in my own yard and know how fine it is.

Here is a chance to have some fine, yellow, Sweet Cherries along with your sour red varieties. 3-4 ft. budded, \$1.00; 4-5 ft. budded, \$1.25.

## Compass Cherry Plums

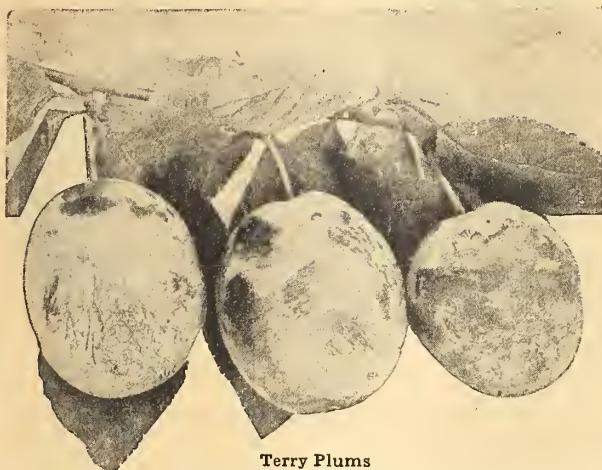
	Size	Each	Per 10
Express or freight.....	4-5 ft.	\$0.55	\$5.00
Postpaid.....	3-4 ft.	.45	4.00

There should be some Compass Cherry Plums on every farm in the Middle West. This fruit is hardy and is especially fine for preserving and canning, but not so good for eating out of hand. Fruit is bright red, juicy, tart flavor. When it is fully ripe it is a dark wine color and looks more like a Plum than a Cherry. It was originated by crossing the Sand Cherry with the Miner Plum.

See My Special Apple Collection Illustrated in Color on Inside Front Cover

# PLUMS

**My Thrifty Trees Are Heavy Bearers**



Terry Plums

**P**LUMS are good trees to plant for quick results. They are easy to grow and do well on any land that is not too wet. My trees will yield you big returns in fruit. They have all been grown on Plum roots and are hardier and longer lived than those on Peach roots. I offer a select list of varieties chosen for their size, appearance and the flavor of their fruit. Plant 20 feet apart each way. The fruit should be thinned to develop quality.

**SOIL.** The best soil usually is a strong, rich, clay loam.

**CULTIVATION.** The ground should be manured and kept well cultivated as the Plum, especially when young, is sensitive to the effects of the weeds and grass if neglected.

### Hansen's Hardy Hybrid Plums

Often bear two years after planting. Always loaded with fruit.

**APRICOT PLUM or HANSKA.** Middle of August. Crossed with the Apricot Plum of China and the American Wild Plum. Apricot flavor and yellow flesh of excellent quality and color. A wonderful eating Plum.

**OPATA.** Middle of July. Fruit is purplish red; green flesh, thin skin and small pit. Extremely early. Pleasant flavor, sweetly acid. Plant Sapa and Opata together in order to cross-pollinate, thus producing a larger fruit crop.

**SAPA.** Late July. Sapa is a sister Plum of Opata, of smaller size. Purple skin and rich purple meat. Rich with juice. Fine for cooking and preserving.

**WANETA.** Middle of August. Early bearer. Large size, 2 inches in diameter. Dark red Plum, excellent quality. Good for eating from the tree.

Hanska

### New Minnesota Hybrids

Hardy as the Hansen Hybrid Plums and can be planted as far North as the Canadian line.

**GOLDEN MINNESOTA.** Late August. Clear yellow skin. Very tender and sweet; semi-free. Season very early. Fine for dessert and cooking.

**UNDERWOOD.** Middle of August. Tree extremely vigorous, hardy and productive. Fruit is large, roundish-oval, juicy, firm, greenish-yellow overlaid with rich red. Hangs well to tree. Semi-cling. Quality excellent.

### PRICES of all PLUMS

	Size	Each	Per 5	Per 10
Express or Freight .....	4-5 ft.	\$0.55	\$2.75	\$5.00
Postpaid .....	3-4 ft.	.50	2.25	4.00

### HARDY PLUM \$2.85 COLLECTION

- 1 Sapa
- 1 Terry
- 1 Hanska
- 1 Omaha
- 2 Minnesota Hybrid

All 4 to 5 feet in height, two-year-old branched trees. Catalog value.....\$3.30 Special Price, These **SIX** Trees for.....\$2.85

Customer to pay express or freight.



### Improved Native Plums

These varieties of Native Plums make excellent jelly, are fine for canning.

**IMPROVED WILD GOOSE.** Late July. Beautiful red color. Excellent for jelly and butter.

**OMAHA.** Middle of August. Fruit, large red. Flesh, yellow, juicy and sweet.

**TERRY.** Late August. This is one of the finest Plums grown. Ripens in September. Mottled red color. Very large, with thick yellow meat. Excellent for canning, cooking, jelly and preserves. I will guarantee you will be satisfied with Terry.



Little Blue Damson  
European Plum

### European Plums

These are the old well known Plums and the varieties listed below are hardiest. European Plums do best when planted on clay soil.

**GERMAN PRUNE.** Late August. Purplish black. Juicy and of fine flavor.

**GREEN GAGE.** Middle of August. Round, greenish yellow; juicy, sugary, rich. Tree vigorous and productive.

**LITTLE BLUE DAMSON.** Early September. Bears annual crop. One of the best Plums for canning.

**LOMBARD.** Late August. Large purplish red. Hardiest and most valuable of the European varieties for planting in the Middle West.

### Japanese or Oriental Plums

Japs are strong growing. Should be planted in latitudes not subject to late frost. They are very productive and bear about the third year after planting.

**ABUNDANCE.** Early August. Good keeper. Amber color. Juicy and sweet.

**BURBANK.** Early August. Fruit large. Dark mottled red.

### Hardier Apricots

It is remarkable that fruit of such excellence as the Apricot, which ripens two to four weeks before the best early Peaches, should be so little known.

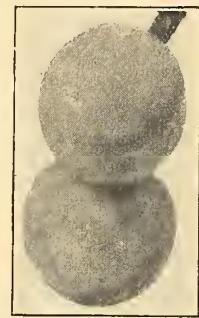
	Size	Each	Per 3
Express or freight, budded .....	4-5 ft.	\$0.65	\$1.80
Postpaid, budded .....	3-4 ft.	.50	1.35

**RUSSIAN.** This is one of the best varieties and hardiest for the Middle West. Fruit yellow in color and very productive.

### Chinese Apricots

The hardiest Apricot! I recommend it. Fruit large—two inches in diameter. Pale yellow and the half exposed to sun overlaid with red. Be sure you get a tree of this variety.

Size	Each	Per 3
Express or freight .....	4-5 ft.	\$0.75 \$2.00
Postpaid .....	3-4 ft.	.65 1.75



### Mulberries

Mulberries are very much relished by poultry. They are valuable as a windbreak, too. A few trees planted in the poultry yard and next to the orchard, will supply fruit for the birds and poultry. The birds prefer Mulberries in place of Cherries.

**DOWNING EVERBEARING.** Bears large, black sub-acid fruit. Bears all season long. 4-5 ft., 75c, not postpaid; 5-6 ft., 90c each, not postpaid.

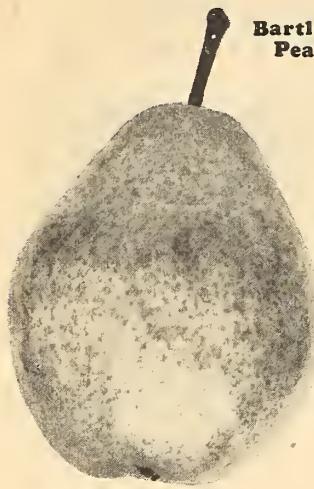
**RUSSIAN.** Vigorous and hardy. Is used for hedges, wind-breaks, etc. The fruit is medium size, fair quality, productive. 3-4 ft., branched, each, 15c; per 10, \$1.25; per 100, \$10.00; 4-5 ft., branched, each 25c; per 10, \$2.00; 25 for \$4.00. 3-4 ft. and 4-5 ft., not postpaid. See page 10 for seedlings.

### ALL 46 OF MAY'S TREES GROWING NICELY

Dear Sirs: I want to tell you that the 46 apple trees we got from you five years ago are just full of buds. They are well shaped. They cannot beat your nursery for good trees and square dealing. Respectfully,

Mrs. Earl Bloom, Bridgewater, Iowa.

Bartlett Pear



# PEARS

## The Best That Money Can Buy

My pears are the best that money can buy. I can furnish both the standard and dwarf. The branches of the dwarf trees should be left as low as possible.

### Pears, Standard

	Size	Each	Per 3	Per 10
Express or freight, budded.....	4-6 ft.	\$0.65	\$1.80	\$5.50
Postpaid, budded .....	3-4 ft.	.50	1.35	4.00

### Pears, Dwarf, Budded on Quince

Can furnish dwarf growing Pear trees in all four of these varieties at these low prices.

	Size	Each	Per 3
Postpaid .....	3-4 ft.	\$0.60	\$1.65
Postpaid .....	2-3 ft.	.45	1.20

### Summer Pears

#### Two-Year, Branched and Budded

**BARTLETT.** By this Pear all others are judged. Bears early and abundantly. Waxy yellow with red cheek when ripe. Bartlett is my choice for high quality.

### Autumn Pears

#### Budded

**DUCHESS.** Crimson-yellow color, splashed with russet. Juicy and high flavor. Elegant for home gardens. Does best when grown in Dwarf form. The housewife's favorite.

**SUGAR PEAR.** Its delicious sweet flavor gives it the name of "Sugar Pear." One of the best dessert and eating Pears grown. Small, but one of the sweetest.

Kieffer Pear



### Low Prices on Kieffer

**KIEFFER.** Is a very abundant, prolific Pear. Golden-yellow when ripe, and will keep until January. Kieffer is one of the most blight-resistant Pears for the Middle West, and should be in every orchard throughout Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois and Missouri.

Special Price: 3-4 ft., 45¢ each, 3 for \$1.25; 4-6 ft., 55¢ each, 3 for \$1.55.

# PEACHES

## Trees for This Year's Shipment are the Finest I Can Grow

The Peach trees I send you are rapid growing, bearing two years after being planted. My trees are low priced and produce lots of fresh fruit. Plant Peach trees with the two year Apple and Cherry trees in your orchard. They will bear four or five crops before the other trees start bearing heavily.

### How to Plant Peaches

Soils which grow good farm crops and which have a well drained subsoil, are adapted to peaches.

	Each	Per 10	Per 25
Express or freight branched and budded, 4-6 ft. ....	\$0.40	\$3.50	\$8.00
Postpaid, branched and budded, 3-4 ft. ....	.35	3.00	6.25
Postpaid, branched and budded, 2-3 ft. ....	.25	2.00	4.00

**CARMAN.** Late July. Freestone. Creamy yellow. Tree very hardy. Good for eating, cooking, canning and market.

**CHAMPION.** Early August. White freestone. This is the standard quality white Peach. Taste satisfying.

**CRAWFORD'S EARLY.** Early August. Freestone. Color bright yellow. Quality good.

**CRAWFORD'S LATE.** Early September. Freestone. Good quality.

**ELBERTA.** Early September. Freestone. By this Peach all others are judged. Large, yellow with red cheek. Very prolific. Hardy. The fruit of Elberta can be gathered when hard and it ripens up evenly without rotting.



### My Trees Grow

"Dear Mr. May:

Here is a snapshot taken August 1st, 1929, of an Apricot tree bought from you late in 1928 for 35¢. When planted late in the season, it was about 18 inches high. Now, after less than 1½ years it is 11 ft., 5 in. high and 7½ in. around. This is remarkable growth considering the bargain price and lateness of setting out. This shows what good pruning and cultivation will do—if the stock, like this, is best quality to begin with."

Walter Summers,  
Grimes, Iowa.



Champion

## HARDY GRAPES The Best Home Fruit

See colored illustration on second cover page.

No fruit requires less attention and bears more heavily than Grapes. Do not be without them. They are an excellent table fruit. With them, you can also make your own Grape Juice.

The plants should be planted about eight feet apart.

**All Plants on this page postpaid.**

See price table at bottom of page.

## BLACK GRAPES

**CONCORD.** This is the old standby in the leading market vineyards, and in the home garden. No matter how small the number of Grapes planted in the yard, Concord should be included. It is called the Grape for the Millions. Excellent for Grape juice, wine, table use, canning and market.

**MOORE'S EARLY.** Very early. Bunch is medium, berries very large. Its earliness makes it desirable for an early market, and it is particularly adapted to the northern portions of the United States.

**WORDEN.** Worden is another seedling of Concord, but is sweeter, larger and the fruit will ripen about ten days earlier than Concord.



Worden

## KMA GRAPE COLLECTION

6 Concord 2-yr. heavy @ 15c each.....	\$0.90
4 Moore's Early 2-yr. heavy @ 25c each.....	1.00
2 Worden 2-yr. heavy @ 25c each.....	.50

Regular Price..... \$2.40

These dozen two-year Grape vines delivered to your door postpaid for **ONLY**.....

**\$1.75**

This same collection in one-year vigorous plants for \$1.25.

These are all standard varieties and are adapted to this climate. You will be well pleased with these vines.

## Grapes for Northern States

**BETA.** Beta is a medium sized black Grape, quite acid, very early, prolific and healthy, and does exceptionally well far into Minnesota. It is a very fine Grape for jelly, Grape juice and wine. Beta is also a splendid Grape to use in covering arbors. Very hardy.



Diamond

### White Grapes

**DIAMOND.** Just as hardy as Concord. Very sweet and delightful flavor. Ripens ten days after Moore's Early. Recommended as the best white Grape for planting anywhere Concord can be grown.

**NIAGARA.** This is the standard white Grape, occupying the same position among the white varieties as Concord among the blacks. Bunch and berries large, green, changing to pale yellow when fully ripe. Excellent for arbors.

**POCKLINGTON. THE GOLDEN GRAPE.** Beautiful golden color when ripe. Ripens late and keeps well. Very juicy and tender, with but little pulp.

## RED GRAPES

**AGAWAM.** Berries large, thick skinned; excellent for wine making. Closely follows Concord.

**CATAWBA.** This is a very fine table and wine Grape. When ripe is a dark copper color; has a sweet, musky flavor.

Prices of all grapes listed above

Variety	Each	Per 5	Per 10	Per 25	Per 100
<b>CONCORD</b> 2 yr.....	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$1.25	\$2.85	\$10.00
1 yr.....	.15	.50	.95	2.00	7.00
<b>MOORE'S EARLY</b> 2 yr.....	.25	1.10	2.00	4.50	15.00
1 yr.....	.20	.85	1.50	3.50	12.50
<b>WORDEN</b> 2 yr.....	.25	1.00	1.75	4.00	15.00
1 yr.....	.20	.75	1.25	2.85	10.00
<b>BETA</b> , 2 yr.....	.25	1.00	1.75	4.00	15.00
<b>DIAMOND</b> , 2 yr.....	.30	1.25	2.20	5.00	18.00
<b>NIAGARA</b> , 2 yr.....	.25	1.00	1.75	4.00	15.00
<b>POCKLINGTON</b> , 2 yr.....	.30	1.10	2.00	4.50	16.00
<b>AGAWAM</b> , 2 yr.....	.25	1.00	1.75	4.00	15.00
<b>CATAWBA</b> , 2 yr.....	.25	1.00	1.75	4.00	15.00

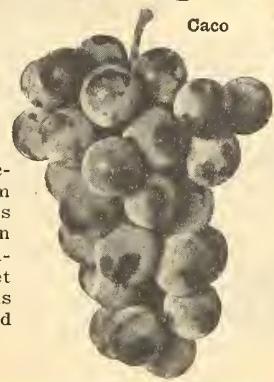
No Place is Too Small to Grow a Few Grapes, The Easiest Fruit to Grow

## Try My New Grapes

Caco

### PORTLAND The New White Grape

Hello, friends. I'm announcing a new white grape for farm and backyard planting. Ripens earlier than any other known Grape. Very large, of a beautiful yellowish color. Very sweet and can be eaten before it is fully ripened. Fine, hardy and productive.



### CACO—The Wonderful Red Grape

**CACO.** The wonderful Caco can be grown in the back yard without much attention. Has a large wine-red berry hanging in bunches of good size ripening ten days to two weeks before Concord. Caco has been awarded a medal of merit by the American Institute of New York which is the highest honor that can be conferred on a variety of fruit. I cannot recommend Caco too highly. The prices for Portland and Caco Grapes are the same—this means that you can make up a quantity assortment of these two varieties according to your own requirements.

#### Make Up Your Own Assortment

Prices for Portland and Caco:  
2 yr. 60c each, \$2.75 per 5, \$5.00 per 10  
1 yr. 40c each, \$1.75 per 5, \$3.00 per 10

## SMALL FRUITS

**BUSH** Fruits come into bearing when young. Certainly no home garden is complete without a few of each of these varieties. You can have fresh fruit on your table throughout the season.

ALL PLANTS ON THIS PAGE PREPAID

## CURRENTS

### Thrifty Plants—Postage Prepaid

The Currant, from its hardiness, free growth, easy culture, great and uniform productiveness, pleasant flavor, and early ripening, is one of the most valuable of our summer fruits. On account of the large amount of pectin they contain they are especially desirable for making jellies, jams, preserves, pies, tarts, etc. They are easily grown. Plant four feet apart each way.

**CULTIVATION.** Good cultivation and pruning will more than double the size of the fruit. Old bushes should have the old and stunted wood cut out, and thrifty shoots left at regular distances. I recommend clean cultivation.

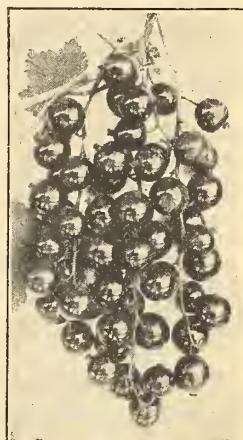
**PRICES ALL CURRENTS EXCEPT PERFECTION (Postpaid):**

Size	Each	Per 10	Per 25
2-yr. ....	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$4.00
1-yr. ....	.20	1.50	3.00

### Red Currents

**CHERRY.** Large, red berries on short cluster. Robust, fruitful sort.

**FAY'S PROLIFIC.** The leading market Currant. Extra large stems and berries. Uniform in size and easily picked.



Cherry Currant

### White Grape Currents

Berries hang in beautiful white clusters; excellent quality and fine for table use. Sweet or mild acid flavor.

**IMPROVED PERFECTION.** A cross between Fay's Prolific and White Grape; a beautiful bright red, larger than Fay's Prolific. Long stems, easy to pick. You can pick a basket of Perfection Currents as quickly as you can a basket of Early Richmond cherries. 2-yr., 35c each; per 10, \$3.00; per 25, \$6.50. 1-yr., 25c each; per 10, \$2.00; per 25, \$4.50.

## Prices of All Berry Plants on This Page are Postpaid

### Gooseberries



Downing Gooseberry

Gooseberries like a cool, moist loam in partial shade, and good mulch. Gooseberries are one of the most useful of all small fruits for the Middle Western territory.

**DOWNING.** Downing is a large, handsome, pale green berry and of splendid quality. Good for both cooking and table use.

**HOUGHTON.** Medium, roundish oval. Pale red, very sweet and tender, prolific.

**JOSSELYN or RED JACKET.** A wonderful cropper, with bright crimson fruit; healthy foliage. Large size and prolific.

Size	Each	Per 10	Per 25
2-yr. ....	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$4.00
1-yr. ....	.20	1.50	3.00

### Dewberries

#### [Coreless Blackberries]

**LUCRETIA.** The Dewberry is a low-growing, trailing Blackberry; vigorous and healthy; very productive. Mulch with a little straw over winter. The fruit, which ripens early, is often 1½ inches long, very sweet and luscious throughout.

	Per 5	Per 10	Per 25
No. 1 strong plants.....	\$0.45	\$0.80	\$1.50

### Raspberries

#### All Berry Plants Postpaid

Raspberries do well in almost any soil. They are usually planted 4 feet apart in rows which are 6 feet apart. The old wood of black varieties should be cut out as soon as it has fruited. With red varieties the suckers should be thinned out each Spring to 5 or 6 in each hill. Black and purple varieties should be pinched early when the canes are about 2 feet high. Plant reds twice as thick as blacks.

### Black Raspberries

#### Order Transplants for Quick Results

**TWO-YEAR TRANSPLANTS** are much easier to grow for you, are much heavier plants than the Tips and are to be recommended in preference to Tips. They are higher priced but are sure to grow and our customers everywhere are well pleased with our **2-yr. Transplanted Raspberries**.

	Per 5	Per 10	Per 25	Per 100
Transplants, 2 yr., heavy .....	\$0.85	\$1.50	\$3.00	\$9.00
Tip plants, No. 1.....	.50	1.00	3.50	

**CUMBERLAND.** One of the earliest to ripen; excellent for eating, cooking, canning and market.

**KANSAS.** Vigorous grower, standing extreme drought and cold, bearing early, immense crops. Berries very large, jet black.



Cumberland

### Red Raspberries

Strong plants, per 10, 60c; 25, \$1.25; 100, \$4.25.

**CUTHBERT.** Queen of the Market. Remarkably strong, hardy variety, standing the northern Winters and southern Summers equal to any. The leading market variety for main crop.

### Everbearing Red Raspberries

**ST. REGIS.** The everbearing red. Fruit commences to ripen with the earliest and continues on young canes until October; many quarts often picked after the first snowfall. Berries bright crimson; flesh firm and meaty. Very prolific. Per 10, 60c; 25 for \$1.25; per 100, \$4.25.

### Purple Raspberries

**COLUMBIAN.** This is one of the great Raspberries of the age. A cross between Cuthbert and Gregg. The berry is of large size and excellent quality, having purplish red color. Plants are enormously productive, very hardy; has stood 28 degrees below zero without injury. Tips, 70c per 10; \$1.50 per 25; \$5.00 per 100. 2-year heavy Transplants, 85c per 5; \$1.50 per 10; \$3.00 per 25; \$10.00 per 100.

Remember, all Blackberries, Raspberries, Currants, Gooseberries and Dewberries are postpaid everywhere.

### May's Bush Fruit Collection

5 Cherry Currants  
5 Downing Gooseberries  
5 Black Raspberries  
All 2 year transplants.

Value, \$3.25  
Special Price to home owners..... \$2.35 Postpaid



### Blackberries

Blackberries will do well in places where other fruits will not thrive. Fill the waste spaces with these delicious fruits.

Blackberries should be planted in rows 5 feet apart, plants 3 feet apart in the row. Keep the ground light and rich.

**ELDORADO.** One of the very hardest and best. Berries jet black, sweet, with pleasing taste. Keep well, ship well, and sell well, and are very productive. Excellent for eating, canning, cooking and market. Per 5, 45c; per 10, 85c; per 25, \$1.75; per 100, \$6.00.

**EARLY HARVEST.** The old standby, very early, dwarf grower. Is not well adapted for northern latitudes. Does well, however, in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma. Per 5, 40c; per 10, 70c; per 25, \$1.50; per 100, \$5.00.

**SNYDER.** This is the hardest Blackberry grown. Fruit medium size, good market sort, will stand the cold Winters of most any of the northern climates. Per 5, 45c; per 10, 85c; per 25, \$1.75; per 100, \$6.00.

### These Folks Like My Fruits

Dear Sir: Enclosed find an order for garden seed and plants. The apple trees we bought from you are leafing out very nicely. Next year we will plant about three acres to fruit and will send to you for them as these were such nice ones. Yours truly,

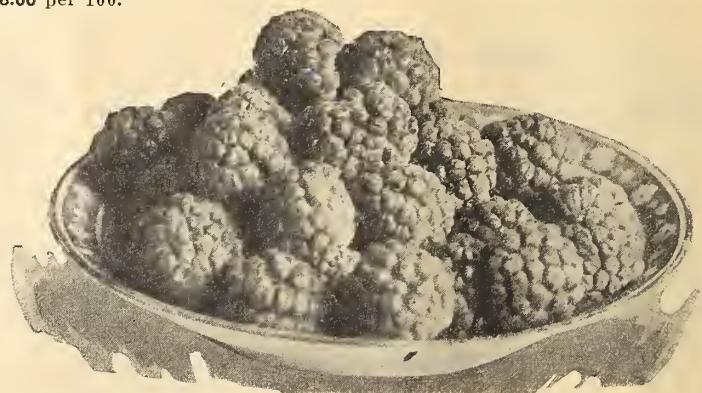
Mrs. Thomas Nicholas, Lincoln, Nebr.

Dear Mr. May: The climbing rose you sent us last year is now halfway up the trellis. It took the hard winter with no special protection. The Cherry, Plum and Peach trees we bought from you last year are all healthy, nice-looking stock. We have tried some of your garden seeds too, and believe me, the May garden seeds come up—there is no lagging along. Respectfully, Mrs. S. R. Smith, Newman, Kansas.

### New Latham Red Raspberry

Hardy All Over the Country; Originated in Minnesota.  
Firm Berry, Fine for Home Use

Latham is a winner in the Reds. It has taken the country by storm. In every section the demand today is for Latham Raspberries. I can truthfully state that it is the largest, firmest and most prolific of all the red varieties of raspberries that have yet been introduced. Notice the illustration. This is **actual size**, as these berries when photographed were 1 inch across. Berries this large are quite the usual thing. In quality Latham stands at the top. It is extremely hardy; was originated on the State Fruit Breeding Farm of Minnesota. One of its principal features is its firmness. So many raspberries go to pieces as soon as they are picked. These will stand up. 50c per 5, 90c per 10, \$1.75 per 25, \$6.00 per 100.



The New Latham Raspberry is sure a fine berry and I want you all to try it. E.E.M.

# STRAWBERRIES—

## Big Fresh Berries—and Shortcake All Spring, Summer and Fall

I want you to grow some of my perfect varieties. They are the best plants you can get anywhere. You will have plenty of fine berries for your table and many more for making jam.

The best time to plant strawberries in the Middle West is from the 25th of March to the 25th of April, depending upon locality and weather conditions. I can ship them until April 25th. Our plants are fresh, Spring-dug and dug just before they are shipped. Order early because the plants cannot be shipped without damage during warm weather. I can ship to Southern states early in February and March.

Plant strawberries in well-drained soil. Soil in which such crops as potatoes, corn, onions and cabbage have previously been planted is well adapted to Strawberries.

### June or Spring-Bearing Varieties

No. 1 strong plants, fresh dug, 40c per 25; 65c per 50; \$1.25 per 100; \$2.25 per 200; \$4.00 per 500; \$7.00 per 1,000, postpaid.

**AROMA.** Large, dark red. Late. This is a good pollinator for other varieties. Perfect flower.

**EARLY OZARK.** Perfect flower. Ripens the first week in June. Beautiful red berries. Very good on account of its earliness. Prolific bearer.

**SENATOR DUNLAP.** A strawberry without a fault. Perfect flower. Medium early; very large and red.

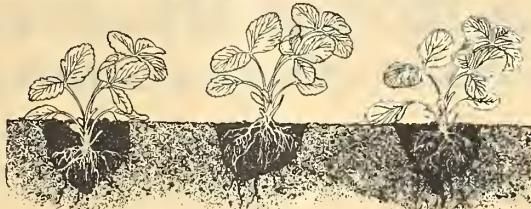
### May's Everbearing Varieties

Everbearing Strawberries bear heavily in the spring and fall and in favorable weather bear off and on throughout the entire summer. There are now three of the Everbearing varieties which do well here in the Middle West, the **MASTODON** (next column), and the following two:

**MAY'S CHAMPION.** Big in size. Big in yield. Rich in flavor. More drought resistant than other everbearers. It is old enough and well enough established throughout the country so that it is not an experiment. 70c per 25; \$1.25 per 50; \$2.25 per 100; \$4.25 per 200; \$9.00 per 500, postpaid.

**MAY'S IMPROVED PROGRESSIVE.** Berry resembles Dunlap in color and shape. Good yielding and one of the first successful everbearing Strawberries introduced. By planting the Improved Progressive you will get berries clear up until snow flies. 60c per 25; \$1.10 per 50; \$2.00 per 100; \$3.75 per 200; \$8.00 per 500, postpaid.

### How to Plant Strawberries



TOO DEEP      TOO SHALLOW      JUST RIGHT

## ASPARAGUS ROOTS—Grow Fresh, Tender Asparagus Tips



Washington Asparagus

Home grown Asparagus is particularly good for your health. You should grow some varieties of this rich and tender vegetable.

My Asparagus plants are heavy and vigorous, grown on the very best of soil and are sound and healthy. Under ordinary circumstances you should be able to cut stalks from my two year plants during the first year. Do not plant in wet soil. Plant deep enough so the crowns will be covered by three to four inches of rich soil.

Common varieties, 1-yr. strong plants, 20c per 10; 45c per 25; \$1.40 per 100, postpaid. 2-yr., heavy, planted early will make tips for table first year, 30c per 10; 60c per 25; \$2.00 per 100, postpaid.

### RHUBARB (Pie Plant)

The first thing in the Spring to furnish material for pie and sauce. Its health-giving, tonic properties make it invaluable as a Spring regulator. Easy to grow. Should be in every home garden. Plant in rows 4 feet apart with roots 3 feet apart in row.

**MAY'S NEW SEEDLESS.** Practically seedless. Guaranteed to produce the first year. I realize the price on this is high but May's New Seedless Rhubarb is propagated from root stalks only. You will be pleased with the results from this Seedless variety. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c, postpaid.

**GIANT VICTORIA.** This is the largest and best of the seedling varieties. Good, heavy stalks, juicy stems. 3 for 25c; 60c per 10; \$4.50 per 100, postpaid.



### May's Giant Mastodon

Fresh Strawberries all Summer. These Giant Mastodons planted in April will bear for you ninety days after being planted. You will have fresh Strawberries in July, August, September, October and November, right up until cold weather—and all this the first season.

### Two Crops Instead of One

Why not plant May's Giant Mastodons? Giant Mastodons give two crops of berries instead of one. The second year they bear the first crop of berries during May and June, and the plants rest during July. Then they bear again in August, September, October and November and you have fresh Strawberries five months out of every twelve.

### Large Berries in Ninety Days

My Giant Mastodons grow great big berries—18 of them make a quart. They bear an enormous crop ninety days after planting.

### Giant Mastodons are Hardy

My Giant Mastodons are hardy everywhere—and they produce lots of fresh berries all summer.

### Easy to Grow

These Giant Mastodons are easy to grow. We will send you fresh Spring stock, the same day they are dug, and they will assure you of delicious Strawberries all summer. Order today and reserve your May's Giant Mastodon Strawberry plants early, as the crop will be short again this year. \$1.00 per 25; \$1.75 per 50; \$2.75 per 100; \$5.00 per 200; \$10.00 per 500, delivered.

### Read What These Folks Say:

Dear Friend Earl: Must tell you my Mastodons are sure spreading. We have had a real dry spell but I have quite a few great big juicy fellows, and my oh my, they are good. They are sure worth the money. I ordered 525 plants, got 549, and all grew but three or four. Sincerely, Blanche Crosser, Alden, Iowa.

Dear Earl: I want to tell you how well pleased I am with the Mastodon Strawberries I ordered from you about a year ago. They commenced to bear in June and from then on gave plenty until very late in fall. I even picked some when there was snow on the plants. Last summer the plants put out a large number of runners, making several hundred more plants from the 100 I ordered, and most of these runners bloomed and bore fruit. Surely your Mastodons are real everbearers. Yours very truly, W. A. Van Winkle, Manhattan, Kansas.

### CONOVER'S COLOSSAL

Rich and tender shoots. Green stems.

### PALMETTO

The earliest of all. Good yielder. Green stems.

### NEW WASHINGTON RUST PROOF

The best in Asparagus; it is a rust resistant strain. My stock is of the highest yielding plants. If you want a choice bed of Asparagus, try this New Washington. 2-yr. old giant roots, 45c per 10; \$1.00 per 25; \$3.00 per 100. 1-yr., 30c per 10; 60c per 25; \$2.00 per 100. Seed, pkt, 10c; oz, 15c; 1/4 lb., 50c. Both roots and seed postpaid.

See Asparagus Seed on Page 55.

### Chives

Grown for their mild, onion flavor for sausages, salads, etc. 2 for 25c; \$1.00 per 12, postpaid.

### Sage

One of the best herbs for seasoning. Good, strong roots. 3 for 40c; \$1.25 per 10, postpaid.

### Horse Radish

The good old kind that doesn't need a description. Crowns, 5 for 60c; 10 for \$1.00. Cuttings, 25c per 10; \$1.50 per 100.



Rhubarb

# Practical and Dainty



**Guaranteed  
Fast-Color**

## New Spring Models in House Dresses Made of Fine Washable Materials—Many Patterns

**ALL SIZES, 16 to 52  
Sleeveless or Short  
Elbow Length Sleeves**

**\$1 19 EACH  
Postpaid**

**3 for \$2 98**

These are the famous Vat-dyed Dresses that have pleased thousands of women. The fact that so many buy a supply every season is the best testimonial. Now we have dozens of new spring styles—36 of them, all different and charming. I wish we could illustrate and describe all the dainty patterns and materials. But just tell me what color you like and the size you wear and we'll send you styles you will be sure to like. If you don't like them, send them back.

GUARANTEED FAST COLOR. I'll send you a new dress for any of these that fade. Wash them any way you will—they will not fade. All well made, too; neatly finished, with no raw seams—every seam covered.

STATE in your order whether you want sleeveless or short or elbow sleeves.

## Long Sleeved Dresses, too

*13 Different New and Pleasing Styles—Sizes 16 to 52*

**2 for \$2 49 Post-  
paid**

These dresses have certainly been popular. Neatly made; lined cuffs, and a special cut sleeve to make elbow fit properly.

Prints and Amoskeag ginghams in light and dark colors. All guaranteed fast color, for they are vat dyed—and will not shrink.

State your size and favorite color, and I'll guarantee to please you with these dresses.



# New Vat-Dyed Dresses



Economical  
and Dressy

## Attractive New Styles—All Fast-Color Practical Dresses for House or Dress-Up Wear

ALL SIZES  
16 to 52      \$1 89 EACH  
Postpaid

**2 for \$3<sup>60</sup>**

This group of dresses is certainly beautiful.  
Any of them serviceable for dress-up wear.

All well made. No ravel or frayed edges, for  
every garment is well finished; French seams  
throughout. They are not cut skimpy and the  
hems are deep. All Vat-dyed, so guaranteed  
fast-color. We will select styles we guarantee  
will please you.



### Little Girls' Wash Dresses—Like Mother's

These nice little school dresses are attractive  
new patterns and all well made of high grade,  
fast-color material. Fine batistes, prints, broad-  
cloth, or percales, with trimmings of smocking,  
embroidery, pleats and tucks.

**Sizes 2-7 With Bloomers;  
Sizes 8-14 Straight line**

**Short Sleeve 3 for \$2<sup>98</sup>      \$1.19 Each  
Postpaid**

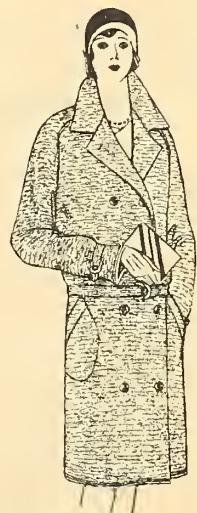
**Long Sleeve 2 for \$2<sup>49</sup>      \$1.39 Each  
Postpaid**

WOMEN'S STYLISH  
NEW TWEED  
**RAIN-  
COAT**

Practical and  
Good Looking

**\$5<sup>95</sup>**  
Post-  
paid

Sizes 16 to 44  
Colors—Blue, Red,  
Green or Gray



Here is the latest in raincoats—so different from ordinary raincoats. In fact, they look like a dressy spring coat, yet are absolutely rain-proof and shed water. Wear one in rain or shine—you are sure to look well dressed.

Coat cut roomy and comfortable, with the Raglan sleeve for additional comfort. All around belt, ring trimmed; band around sleeve, ring trimmed. Buttons up snugly around throat: two large patch pockets with an inner slit, so you may reach underneath to unbutton it.

# Dainty New Rayon Lingerie



The beautiful garments offered at these special prices are ALL PURE RAYON. This soft-woven lustrous fabric makes wonderful undergarments because of its extreme softness and its long wearing qualities. Rayon launders beautifully and does not fade, but holds its color and luster through repeated washings. It is one of the most satisfactory materials for this apparel purpose yet developed by science.

## Finest Quality Sheer Rayon Combination Suits

**Each \$1.75 Postpaid**

Good fit in a combination suit is essential. That is what you get in this garment. The knee is finished with a short ruffled cuff and single elastic. The split up the side of the leg fastens with snaps. Fine quality rayon made up to fit so well it forms no bulky lines. Completely reinforced at all necessary points.

## Launder Without Loss of Lustre



Thousands of Women Are Delighted With  
**EVA HOPKINS' CREME FACE POWDER**  
\$1.00 a Jar Postpaid

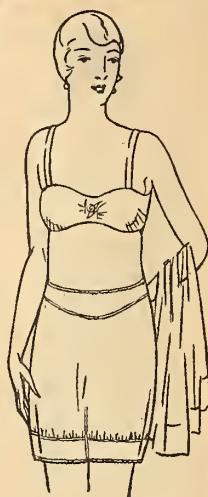
Mrs. Danish, Villisca, Ia.: "There is nothing to compare with your wonderful Creme Powder. I can apply it in the morning and be fresh and clean all day."

Mrs. Raney, Chula, Mo.: "Your powder makes one's skin so cool and soft and velvety."

## Special Value in Popular Rayon French Pants

**Each \$1.05 Postpaid**

These garments are particularly popular because of the flat yoke front, which is a feature of this style. The legs are finished with wide cuffs, trimmed with contrasting colored rayon. Double reinforced crotch Colors: Pink and Peach. Sizes 25, 27 and 29 State size wanted.



## Lovely Soft Rayon Night Gowns

**\$1.95 Each Postpaid**

**3 for \$3.89 Postpaid**

We selected only the choicest rayons and had them knitted into these perfect garments. The rare beauty in coloring, the lustrous sheen of silky fabric and its extremely fine, close weave, all make these unusually attractive. It's almost astounding to find so pretty a gown at this low price. The gowns have either round or V-neck; in Flesh, Peach and Nile colors, with contrasting color trimmings. They can be laundered without loss of luster. Sizes 15 and 16 and 17.



## Dainty Rayon Bloomers

**\$1.05 Each Postpaid**

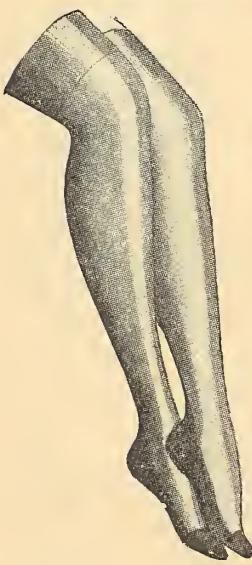
These bloomers are cut full size; made with an elastic at the waist, and short ruffled cuff and single elastic knee. They also have a specially constructed gusset of double thickness. Colors: Pink and Peach and Nile.

# Wonderful Hosiery Values

Here are the best values I have ever offered in stylish hosiery of real Quality. These prices are unusual—especially for such genuinely fine hosiery, in all the more favored new shades.

## The New Maystyle All-Silk Hosiery

**2 Pairs for \$1.95 Postpaid**



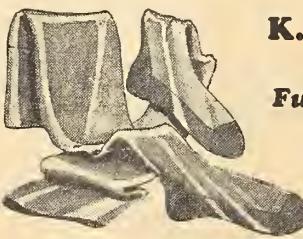
Pure silk from top to toe, with fashionably pointed heel. Fit trimly around the ankle. Long beautiful lustrous silk straight up to the colorful picot edge top. Colors: Pearl Blush, Skin, Honey Beige, Gunmetal, Blonde, Parchment, Dove Grey, White, Grey and Black. Outsizes in Skin, Gunmetal, Sun Tan and Blonde.

## For Practical Service Latest Styles

## "Dixie Girls'" Silk and Rayon Hosiery

**2 Pairs \$1.29 Postpaid**

These beautiful stockings look just like heavy full-fashioned, all-silk hose, and differ only in the fact that they wear much longer. This heavy silken fabric runs clear to the top. Fashionable pointed heels; seamless foot; reinforced at heel and toe and through the soles. Latest colors: Pearl Blush, Gunmetal, Nude, Blonde, Skin, Honey Beige, Parchment, Dove Grey, White, Grey and Black.



## K. M. A. Air Queen Silk Hosiery

**Full Fashioned—Pure Silk Throughout**

Our very finest, all-silk hose in finest service chiffon weight. Not too sheer and yet very dressy. Will compare with any \$2.00 hose. Reinforced in toe, heel and sole with fine lisle; also lisle reinforced top for elasticity and good fit.

**Postpaid**

**\$1.59 Pair**

**2 Pairs \$2.98  
3 Pairs \$4.25**

# May's Coffee

## Famous for Its Flavor

### Freshly Roasted Daily

Nothing starts the day better than a cup of good, hot coffee. My coffee is stronger than other brands, so it goes farther and saves you money.

To be the very best, coffee must be roasted every day. When your order arrives, I have your coffee roasted and sent right out to you, absolutely fresh.

The blend is perfect and the flavor is the very best. Wish you could have seen how visitors at the K. M. A. Jubilee all liked it—they all wanted to take home some. The best testimony is the way folks keep ordering it. **Prices Postpaid:**

**5 lb. Bag \$2<sup>40</sup>**

**10 lb. \$4<sup>60</sup>** | **25 lb. \$10<sup>95</sup>**



My coffee is packed in towel bags, lined with moisture-proof Kraft paper to retain its flavor.

### I GUARANTEE IT!

I know my coffee will be satisfactory, so it is easy to guarantee it. If you do not think it is the best coffee you have ever had for the money, just send it right back and I will refund your money.

"Enclosed find check for 25 lbs. more of your coffee. It is just fine. Best we ever used and cheapest we ever bought for the quality." Mr. Henry Johannes, Marysville, Kan.

"Have been using KMA Coffee for past 2 years, and can't get any other coffee to suit us. Best coffee we had in years." Mr. Walter G. Erwin, Perkins, Mo.

"We are ordering another 10 lbs. of May's Coffee. Like it fine. Have used 60 or 70 pounds of it already." Mr. Earl Cowman, Pleasantville, Iowa. Rt. No. 1.

### MAYSEED BRAND

## Vegetables

### EARLY JUNE PEAS



Case of 12 cans.....\$1.75  
24 cans in case \$3.40

Mayseed Brand; No. 2 cans. Excellent quality, with that "fresh-from-the-garden" flavor. Everybody likes green peas. Order plenty.



### SWEET CORN

Case of 12 cans.....\$1.40  
24 cans in case \$2.70

Mayseed Brand; No. 2 Cans. Delicious sweet corn in its own rich, milky juice. You should always have some.

### KIDNEY BEANS

Case of 12 cans.....\$1.35  
24 cans in case, \$2.65

Mayseed Brand. These are fine, large, dark red beans; very tender, fine flavor.



### MAY'S PEANUT BUTTER

A Food to Build Strong Sturdy Children

**5 lb. Can \$1<sup>25</sup>**  
Postpaid

Let the children have good, rich, creamy, delicious peanut butter in their sandwiches. It is nutritious and very high in food value. Convenient 5 lb. can only \$1.25, delivered to you.

## California Dried Fruit

### New Crop, 25 lb. Boxes



**PRUNES \$3<sup>95</sup>**  
25 lbs., Net.

Large, tender and sweet. The prune crop is short, so better order today, as prices are subject to change.



**RAISINS \$2<sup>35</sup>**  
25 lbs., Net.

Delicious California Raisins; thoroughly cleaned and stemmed and seedless. This year's crop, just packed.

**COMBINATION BOX**  
12 lbs. Prunes, 7 lbs. Raisins, 2 lbs. Figs,  
2 lbs. Apricots, 2 lbs. Peaches

**5 KINDS \$3<sup>95</sup>**  
25 lbs., Net

Big 40/50 prunes from famous Santa Clara Valley, Golden Apricots, Black Figs, delicious Peaches, and Thompson's Seedless Raisins.

**F. O. B. SHENANDOAH**  
But I pay the freight on four boxes or more. Postage: 35c zones 1 and 2. 64c zone 3.



### SELECTED FRESH FISH

**HADDOCK \$1<sup>85</sup>**  
5 lbs., Net in Box  
Postpaid

The finest quality; frozen fresh on banks of Icy Bay, Maine.

Order a box, cook 'em by one of the five recipes on the wrapper and if not the tastiest dish you've eaten, I'll refund your money. Clean boneless, all meat. No waste. Order now—can only ship in January, February and March.

PAINT  
PRESERVES  
AS WELL AS  
BEAUTIFIES  
A HOUSE

# May's Farm Belt PAINT



## LOW PRICES ON BEST BRUSHES

**4 in. Wall Brush**—High grade brush; for all kinds of paint, \$1.00 (postpaid).

**4 in. Stucco Brush**—Leather bound; guaranteed to wear for years, \$2.75 (postpaid).

**4 in. Wall Brush**—A quality brush with pure Chinese bristles, \$2.00 (postpaid).

I PAY THE FREIGHT ON 5 GALLONS OR MORE OF MY PAINT

# May's Farm Belt House and Barn Paint Money back Guarantee

"The paint you sell is more than you say it is. We painted our house and corn crib last fall and today they look as good as the day we put it on. Last winter was as hard a test for outdoor paint as could be had. Your paint stood this test so we know it's fine." John A. Buehler, Crab Orchard, Nebr.

"Ordered 10 gal. of your paint some weeks ago and find it the best paint I ever saw; so I have decided to paint every building on my place." James Chemok, Garrison, Nebr.

"We used 15 gal. of your barn paint and find it to be easy to apply; covers well; and the color of red and yellow Lan man a, Bonapart, Ia.

You'll want to paint your house and barns and fences this Spring. Most any place needs painting after being weathered through the winter months. For freshening up the appearance of your place; protecting the surface of floors, walls and roofs for longer wear with less need for repair—there is nothing better than good paint.

## The Strongest Guarantee Ever Written for Any Paint

What paint dealer will sell you the paint you use for your house and barns, give you a written guarantee, let you use part of it and then return the rest, if dissatisfied, for refund of the full amount you paid? Not many—but that is just what I do! Read my guarantee printed on this page. I mean every word of it. It means your perfect satisfaction with the paint I sell you, or you get your money back.

## Two-Gallon Free Trial

Only the best ingredients are used in compounding May's Farm Belt Paints, and these are carefully and correctly proportioned, and thoroughly mixed by machinery. Thus my paints have that superior quality, greater covering capacity, longer wearing service and finer appearance. Try 2 gallons of the quantity you buy and still get all your money back if not pleased.

## FREE BRUSHES AND LINSEED OIL

With each 5 gals. of May's Farm Belt House Paint I send FREE 2 gals. of pure Linseed Oil; and with each order for 5 gals. or more of any of my paints I include, FREE, one good wire brush for cleaning surface to be painted, and one 4 in. paint brush (only one of each with any order).



## FREE PAINT

If you are not satisfied after using two gallons of any paint you buy from me, return the rest and I will give back all money you paid for the order. Pay me nothing for the 2 gallons used.



## Money back Guarantee

Customers everywhere—hundreds of them tell me this is the best house and barn paint they ever used—that it wears and looks well for years.

## FARM BELT HOUSE PAINT—20 Best Colors

All ready for use. You don't have to mix colors. We have it in every popular color and the price is the same for any color. Ask for color card.

Pigments are finely ground and being fresh will not settle in bottom of can.

**PRICES:** Freight Prepaid on orders for 5 gallons or more:

Quantity	Per Gal.	Quantity	Per Gal.
5 gal. barrel	\$2.40	1 gal. can	\$2.60
30 gal. barrel	2.45	½ gal. can	1.35
5 gal. drum	2.50	1 quart	.75

## FARM BELT BARN PAINT

**Defies Weather—Lasts for Years.** The ideal paint for barns and farm buildings, wood or metal. Goes on smoothly and holds color. Will not crack, chalk, peel or blister. Compounded from best oils and minerals. Every gallon backed by my guarantee.

### Red or Brown

\$1.50 per gal.
5 gal. \$1.40 per gal. Prepaid
25 gal. \$1.35 per gal. Prepaid
50 gal. \$1.30 per gal. Prepaid

### White—Green—Gray

\$2.00 per gal.
5 gal. \$1.90 per gal. Prepaid
25 gal. \$1.85 per gal. Prepaid
50 gal. \$1.80 per gal. Prepaid

**REMEMBER—I Pay the Freight on All Paint Orders Over 5 Gallons**

Outside White	Maroon
Inside White	Sky Blue
Black	Bungalow Brown
Ivory	French Gray
Green	Shutter Green
Colonial Yellow	
Light Buff	Pearl Gray
Rose Pink	Light Lead
Apple Green	
Terra Cotta	
Tobacco Brown	Slate Color
	Red Oxide

## FREE

1 Wire Brush  
1 Paint Brush

With every order for 5 gals. or more of any of my paint, I send free one wire brush for cleaning the surface to be painted, and one 4 in. paint brush (only one of each with an order).

**FREE, 2 GALLONS**  
**Pure Linseed Oil**

—besides the two brushes—with every 5 gals. of May's Farm Belt House Paint.

# *May's Farm Belt*

## interior PAINT & VARNISH

with a MONEY-BACK GUARANTEE



May's Farm Belt Interior Paints and Varnishes, like our House Paint, are of superior quality and are sold under the same money-back guarantee. Try it—if not satisfied get your money back. It is easy to put on.

### MAY'S FLAT WALL PAINT

#### Velvety Washable Finish

of the kitchen, bathroom or bedrooms. It has a soft, velvety finish, is easily cleaned, and children's finger prints and other marks are readily washed off without injury to the finish.

##### Choice of 13 Colors:

See what a range of possibilities here for making your rooms bright and colorful.

1 Free Brush with Each Paint Order  
of 5 Gal. or More.

One Quart **70c**

Half Gal. **\$1.20**

One Gal. **\$2.25**

F. O. B. Shenandoah, Ia. (Freight Paid on 5 gallons or more.)

Light Ivory	Light Green
Cream	Sky Blue
Light Buff	Buff
Medium Brown	Light Yellow
Pearl Gray	Azure Blue
Dove Gray	Also White

May's Farm Belt Floor Paint, Concrete Floor Paint and Porch Floor Paint are made in the following colors: Dust, Slate, Light Lead, Yellow, Maroon, Tan, and Drab.

#### INSIDE FLOOR PAINT

**\$2.15 GAL.**

Dries quickly with brilliant gloss and exceptionally good quality.

Per Gal. .... \$2.15

1/2 gal. .... \$1.15

Freight Paid and Free Brush with orders for 5

Gallons or More.

#### PORCH FLOOR PAINT

**\$2.70 GAL.**

Not affected by scrubbing. Dries with glossy hard surface.

Per Gal. .... \$2.70

1/2 gal. .... \$1.45

1 qt. 80c

Freight Paid and Free Brush with orders for 5

Gallons or More.

#### CONCRETE FLOOR PAINT

**\$3.15 GAL.**

Dries hard and wears for years. Made in the same colors as our Porch Floor Paint.

Per Gal. .... \$3.15

1 Gal. or More.

### UNDERCOAT for WALL PAINT

Unpainted walls should be painted with a sizing paint before applying the finishing coat of flat wall paint. Use one quart of this undercoat to each quart of paint.

**\$1.95**

PER GALLON

Freight Paid on  
5 Gallons or  
More

### HOW MUCH PAINT?

It is easy to measure a building for paint. Start at one corner of your building and measure it by feet all around. Multiply this by the average height of the building at the eaves with two feet added for cornice. This gives you the number of square feet in the building. Divide the number of square feet to be painted by 250 (as May's Farm Belt Paint covers at least 250 sq. ft. two coats to the gallon) and you will have the amount of paint required for two coats. Always allow 1 gallon of trim to each 5 gallons of body.

### ROOF SHINGLE STAIN

May's Farm Belt Shingle Stain penetrates not into the Shingle. Dries quickly and Guaranteed not to fade. Preserves wood for long life. Red and Green. **\$1.40 Gal.; 5 gals. \$1.35 per gal.**

### MOSS GREEN ROOF PAINT

Not a stain but a paint. Covers and hides surface. Per gallon. .... \$1.65

### LIQUID ASBESTOS ROOFING

If your roofs are beginning to show wear, fix them. One coat of May's Asbestos Roofing will make any asphalt, metal, or composition roof Leak Proof.

Put on with a brush. For all roofs except worn out shingle roofs. Made in black only. **75c gal.; 5 gals. 65c per gal.; 30 gals. 55c per gal.; 50 gals. 50c.**

F.O.B. Shenandoah, Iowa

With order for 25 gallons or more we furnish Free Roofing Brush.

### PLASTIC ROOF CEMENT

For big leaks and patching work. Black only. Put on with a trowel. 5 lbs., 60c; 10 lbs., \$1.00; 25 lbs., \$2.00.

Freight paid on 100 pounds or more.

### CONCRETE OR STUCCO PAINT

This is an oil paint and it is made especially for Stucco, Stone and Concrete. Penetrates all cracks and crevices. Keeps moisture out.

Paint colors: Gal. \$2.45; 5 gals. \$2.35 per gal.

Freight paid and free brush on 5 gals. or more.

### MONEY SAVING

### VARNISH at Big Savings

You cannot find a better line of varnishes at any price. We sell it direct to you and you save one-half or more on the price.

#### May's Mar-Proof Floor Varnish

Mar-proof and scar-proof. Dries quickly. **1 quart 80c 1/2 gallon \$1.40**

#### May's All Purpose Varnish

For general use around the home. Furniture, floors and woodwork. Guaranteed not to turn white. **1 quart 80c 1/2 gallon \$1.40**

#### Combination Varnish and Stain

Combination of Stain and Varnish for interior woodwork and furniture. Dark Oak, Light Oak, Golden Oak, Walnut, Ground Color, and Mahogany. **1 quart 80c 1/2 gallon \$1.50**

#### Oil Stain for Hardwood Finish

For hardwood finish on soft wood, can be varnished over or left dull finish. Oak, Walnut, and Mahogany. **1 quart 90c 1/2 gallon \$1.75**

#### May's Outside Spar Varnish

For use on surfaces exposed to the Weather. Will not turn white. **1 quart 90c 1/2 gallon \$1.70**

#### Interior Woodwork Varnish

Excellent for woodwork, cabinets, furniture and all interior work. **1 quart 75c 1/2 gallon \$1.30**

#### Furniture Varnish—Lustrous

Dries with high lustre. For all kinds of furniture. **1 quart 70c 1/2 gallon \$1.15**

#### Ground Color for Varnish Stain

Light yellow only. **1 quart 85c 1/2 gallon \$1.45**

### SANITARY WHITE FARM PAINT

For Barns, Dairies, Creameries, Poultry Houses and All Interiors Seals Cracks, Porous Surfaces—Keeps Out Vermin and Disease

Pure White, only. Seals up cracks and pores in wood. Keeps out lice, mites and parasites. May be used on inside or outside, on Wood, Metal, Brick, Concrete, or almost any surface.

**\$1.75**  
Gallon

### HOUSEHOLD ENAMEL—12 Bright Colors

For Woodwork, Iron Beds, Household Articles, Kitchens and Bathrooms. Washable and endurable. Flows on without brush marks.

**1 Quart \$1.10; 1/2 Gallon \$2.10; 1 Gallon \$3.90**

Azure Blue	Light Green
Sky Blue	Light Ivory
Pearl Gray	Med. Brown
Dove Gray	Light Yellow
Buff, Ivory, White	

Freight paid on 5 gallons or more.

Farm Red Other Colors

**\$3.00 Per 1/2 gal. \$1.60 1 qt. 85c \$2.10 Per 1/2 gal. \$1.10 1 qt. 60c**

Other Colors

**\$2.95 Per 1/2 gal. \$1.65 1 qt. 60c**

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### UNDERCOATING FOR ENAMEL

First coat the surface with Undercoat and then apply Enamel.

**1 quart 70c 1/2 gal. \$1.20**

**One Gal. \$2.25**

### AUTOMOBILE ENAMEL

Paint your car yourself with our Auto Enamel. Dries in 24 hours with high lustre. Five beautiful colors: Carmine Red, Brewster Green, Wine, Yellow and Black.

Freight paid on 5 gallons or more.

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# May-Tires Guaranteed at still lower Reduced Prices

16,000 miles—almost the distance around the world—that is the mileage you can expect in the life of any May-Tire I sell you. I back every tire with my own guarantee against defects. I don't care how far or how long a May-Tire has travelled; in case of defect, I will make a fair and equitable adjustment on the tire, based on the service it has given you in proportion to the expected 16,000 miles it should run. This guarantee together with the much lower prices you pay for May-Tires make them your best tire buy.

## May's OVERSIZE BALLOON TIRES

For genuine comfort and easy riding, as well as worry-free driving, ride on my oversize Balloon Cord Tires. They smooth out the road, cushion the ride and carry you hundreds of miles beyond the mileage life of ordinary tires. Guaranteed for at least 16,000 miles, it is not unusual for May-Tire users to get 25,000 to 30,000 miles of transportation out of these sturdy road-worthy Balloons.

Size	Ply	Rim	Lbs. Oz.	Price	Size	Ply	Rim	Lbs. Oz.	Price
29x4.40	4	21	15-8	\$ 5.79	30x5.25	6	20	26	\$10.95
29x4.40	6	HD	17-8	7.85	31x5.25	6	21	26-14	11.00
29x4.50	4	20	19	6.55	29x5.50	6	19	27	11.25
30x4.50	4	21	17	6.59	30x5.50	6	20	27-8	11.50
30x4.50	6	HD	19-8	8.60	*32x5.77	6	22	32	13.70
28x4.75	4	19	17-14	7.85	*33x5.77	6	23	34-4	14.40
29x4.75	4	20	18-10	7.98	*30x6.00	6	18	28-4	13.10
30x4.75	4	21	19-6	8.25	33x6.00	6	21	30-2	14.65
*31x4.95	4	22	22-8	10.35	*30x6.20	6	18	29-13	14.65
29x5.00	4	19	21	8.30	*32x6.20	6	20	30-15	15.25
30x5.00	4	20	21	8.48	*33x6.20	6	21	31-14	15.45
31x5.00	4	21	22	8.79	*31x4.40	4	CL	17	8.75

\*Factory Brand—Same quality and guarantee as May-Tires.  
Prices subject to change without notice.

I pay the postage in zones 1, 2 and 3—400 miles from Shenandoah.

## May's Inner Tubes They Fit the Tires

Guaranteed 3 Years

My tubes are guaranteed 3 years against defects in material and workmanship. A good tube makes a May-Tire better. Order your tube to be sent with the tire. Quick service, a good tube and my lower prices make satisfied customers.

### Tubes for Oversize Balloon Tires

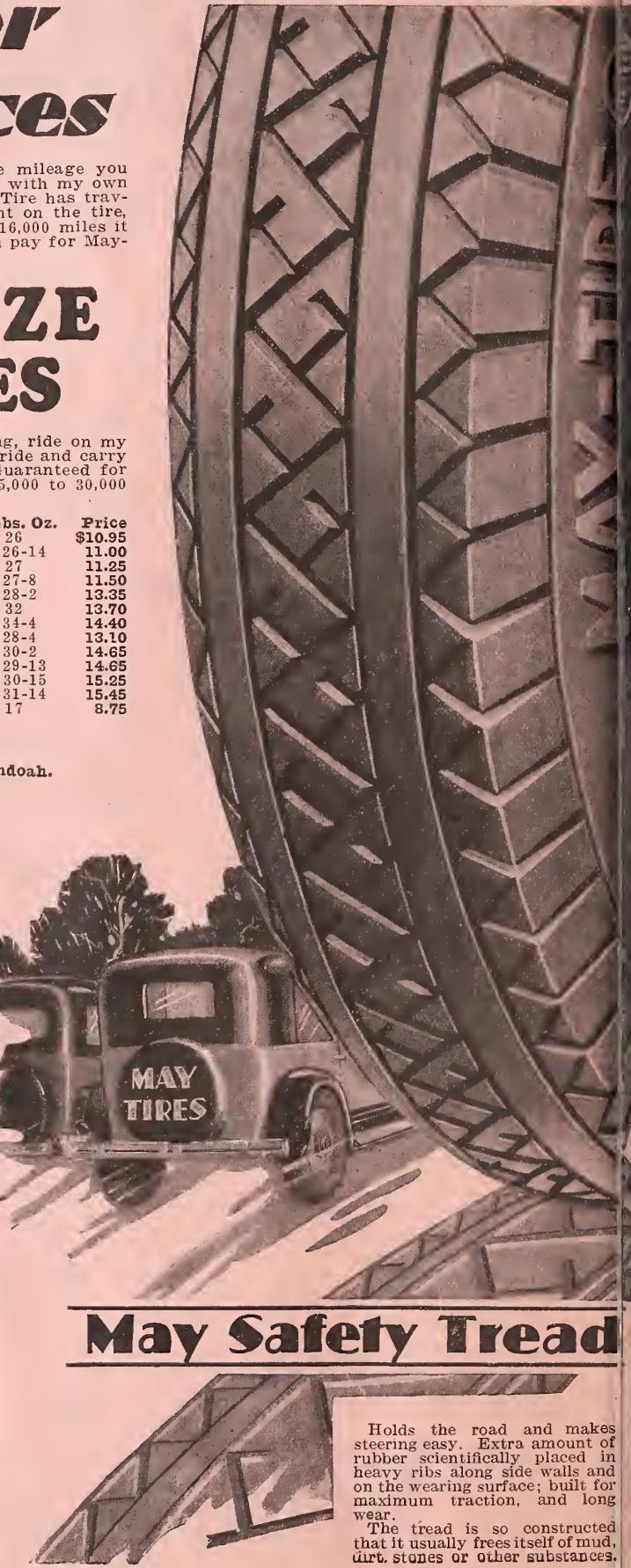
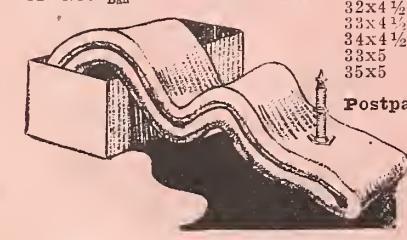
Size	Wt.	Price	Size	Wt.	Price
29x4.40	3 lbs. 4 oz.	\$1.08	31x5.25	4 lbs.	\$1.72
29x4.50	3 " 4 "	1.19	29x5.50	3 " 8 oz.	1.75
30x4.50	3 " 4 "	1.08	30x5.50	3 " 12 "	1.87
28x4.75	3 " 4 "	1.20	30x5.77	4 " 4 "	1.89
29x4.75	3 " 8 "	1.33	32x5.77	4 " 4 "	1.95
30x4.75	3 " 8 "	1.35	33x5.77	4 " 2 "	1.95
31x4.95	3 " 12 "	1.65	30x6.00	4 " 4 "	1.89
29x5.00	3 " 12 "	1.37	33x6.00	4 " 4 "	1.95
30x5.00	3 " 12 "	1.45	30x6.20	5 "	2.25
31x5.00	4 "	1.57	32x6.20	5 " 4 "	2.49
30x5.25	4 "	1.65	33x6.20	5 " 8 "	2.69

### Tubes for Oversize Cord Tires

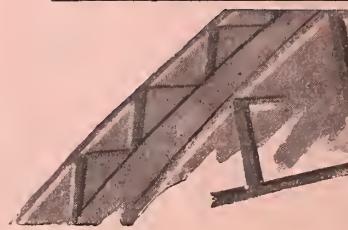
Size	Wt.	Price	Size	Wt.	Price
30x3	2 lbs. 8 oz.	\$.89	31x4	3 lbs. 4 oz.	\$1.40
30x3 1/2 Reg.	2 " 8 "	.95	32x4	3 " 8 "	1.40
30x3 1/2 OS	3 "	.95	33x4	3 " 14 "	1.43
31x4.40 Semi-Ball	3 " 4 "	1.40	34x4	4 " 2 "	1.75
			32x4 1/2	4 " 2 "	1.75
			33x4 1/2	4 " 4 "	1.85
			34x4 1/2	4 " 6 "	1.95
			33x5	5 " 4 "	2.25
			35x5	5 " 10 "	2.55

Postpaid in zones 1, 2 and 3.

You'll Ride  
Farther on  
May-Tires and  
Tubes



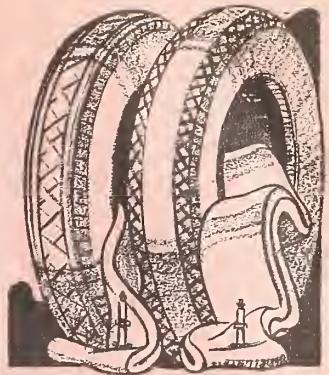
## May Safety Tread



Holds the road and makes steering easy. Extra amount of rubber scientifically placed in heavy ribs along side walls and on the wearing surface; built for maximum traction, and long wear.

The tread is so constructed that it usually frees itself of mud, dirt, stones or other substances.

# 16,000 Miles Less than 30¢ per 1000 miles



The cheapest and most satisfactory service you can receive from a tire. 3/10ths of a cent per mile. May-Tires stand on their own merits. When other tires wear out, May-Tires start their extra service. Try my free comparison offer at my risk—read my guarantee. I back it up 100%.

## May's HEAVY DUTY OVERSIZE CORDS

It is my honest opinion based on my own experience and that of thousands of users of my heavy duty Cord Tires, that there is not another tire made as good as this at anywhere near my prices. Not only the low prices, but also the strong construction, quality and mileage service you get in these Cords, insure you unusual saving in cost of tire upkeep and transportation you get from your car equipped with these.

Size	Ply	Lbs. Oz.	Price	Size	Ply	Lbs. Oz.	Price
30x3 OS	4	10-9	\$ 4.67	33x4 SS OS	5	21-6	\$ 9.63
30x3 1/2 Reg. cl.	4	12-4	4.95	*34x4 " "	5	22	11.05
30x3 1/2 Cl. OS	4	14-12	5.40	32x4 1/2 "	6	25	13.35
30x3 1/2 SS OS	4	14-9	6.50	33x4 1/2 "	6	25-14	12.85
31x4 "	5	20-2	8.85	*33x5 "	7	33-10	18.60
32x4 "	5	20-12	9.35	*35x5 "	7	34-12	19.05

\*Factory Brand—Same quality and guarantee as May-Tires.

Prices subject to change without notice.

Postage Paid 1st, 2nd, 3rd Zones, to 400 Miles from Shenandoah.

### First Quality Guaranteed

## Truck Tires and Tubes May's Giant Size for Truck or Bus

Cut down your truck tire bill by ordering MAY-TIRE HEAVY DUTY TRUCK TIRES. Each carries my Guarantee. All roads and all loads look alike to these big Giant truck tires. Massive over-size tires. The extra heavy rut ribs extending at right angles on the sides combat ruts and holes of the road.

### Heavy Duty Truck Tires

#### At Less Than Wholesale Prices

Size	Shpg. Wt.	Ply	Price
30x3 1/2 CL	17 lbs. 2 oz.	5	\$ 8.00
32x4 1/2 SS	" 33 " 12 "	8	15.95
34x4 1/2 "	" 36 " 8 "	8	18.70
30x5 "	" 37 " 8 "	8	19.00
33x5 "	" 40 " 11 "	8	20.00
35x5 "	" 45 "	8	23.30
32x6 "	" 60 "	10	34.50
*36x6 "	" 65 " 10 "	10	37.35

\*Factory Brand—Same guarantee as on May-Tires.

### May's Tubes for Truck Tires

#### Heavy Duty—Built For Wear

Size	Wt.	Price
30x3 1/2 OS	3 lbs.	\$1.35
32x4 1/2 "	4 " 2 oz.	2.05
34x4 1/2 "	4 " 6 "	2.30
30x5 "	5 "	2.15
33x5 "	5 " 4 "	2.59
35x5 "	5 " 10 "	2.69
32x6 "	8 " 4 "	3.59
36x6 "	9 " 4 "	4.95

Postage paid—Zones 1, 2, 3.



### CHAINS

Don't risk your life and your car on slippery roads without chains. My chains will wear longer and pull you through.

Postpaid—Zones 1, 2 and 3.

TIRE CHAINS	TIRE CHAINS	TIRE CHAINS
30x3 1/2 \$3.25	31x4.95 \$4.50	30x6.00 } \$6.00
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31x4.40 }	31x5.25 }	5.00 TRUCK CHAINS
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34x4 }	29x5.50 }	32x4 1/2 \$6.35
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34x4 1/2 }	33x5 }	33x5 7.00
28x4.75 }	32x5.77 }	35x5 7.35
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30x4.75 }	35x5 5.75 }	36x6 9.00

# My Greatest MAYOLA Screen Grid NINE-TUBE ALL-ELECTRIC SET

The handsome walnut Console cabinet is in two-tone finish with Maple overlay with beautifully matched sliding doors to cover the panel. Hand rubbed piano finish throughout.



**Sold on Approval.** My Mayolas are sold subject to your approval on ten days trial. Compare this new Mayola with other sets costing \$50.00 to \$100.00 more, and then you will fully appreciate this remarkable value.

*The Most Powerful of All Popular Priced Radios*

## MY 8-TUBE MAYOLA ALL-ELECTRIC CONSOLE MODEL

**At Last**—Here is a powerful 8-tube Radio Receiver including latest radio engineering developments, at a popular price within reach of all.

This set may be operated either with outside antenna, short indoor aerial, or light socket connection.

**NOTE THESE NEW FEATURES**—Four stages high-gain amplification using super-sensitive 227 heater type tube formerly used only as detector. Now you can use this in all sockets for increased range and volume. Push-pull amplification with 245 power tube reproduces without distortion.

R 820—Set only  
without tubes,  
Cash Price.....  
F. O. B. Shenandoah

**\$83.50**

Sold on ten-day trial. Try it out in your own home, if it doesn't do more than we say, return it for full refund.

A small down payment brings this Mayola Receiver to your home. Write for particulars on our easy payment plan.

### SUPER-DYNAMIC LOUD SPEAKER—

Beautiful, well proportioned two-tone walnut cabinet, with open arch front, and walnut control knobs to match. Especially constructed to bring out full resonant tone quality of the powerful Dynamic Speaker.

R 825—Complete  
with five 227 Tubes;  
two 245 Power Tubes;  
one 280 Rectifier Tube;  
Aerial and Ground. Cash  
Price .....  
Prices F.O.B. Shenandoah

**\$99.50**

*With Super-Dynamic Speaker*

So great is the power of this New Mayola that it operates to full volume even on a short inside antenna. The new Screen Grid tube multiplies the sensitivity many times without bringing in interference and disturbing noises that used to bother distant reception.

By using an electric pick-up on your Phonograph you can reproduce a phonograph record through the Dynamic loud speaker of this Mayola and get the deep, resonant tone quality of the very best electric phonograph. Handy adjustment for either local or long distance reception.

A small down payment brings this Mayola to your home. Write for my new Radio Catalog and easy payment plan.

**NOTE**—This Mayola will operate from any source of 110-volt, 60-cycle alternating current, but not on direct current lines or farm lighting plants.

### Note the Sturdy Chassis

Note the sturdy construction of the New Mayola's chassis with completely shielded tuning unit. Licensed under RCA and Hazeltine Neutrodyne patents. New Screen Grid tube; Power detection for volume without distortion; New Type 245 power tube; Super-Dynamic Loud Speaker.

R-1040—9-Tube Console, set only with built-in Super-Dynamic Speaker, without tubes. Shipping wt. 125 pounds. Cash price F. O. B. Shenandoah .....

R-1050—9-Tube Console, complete with Five 226 tubes, one 224 Screen Grid tube, two 245 power tubes, one 280 rectifier tube, complete aerial and ground equipment, built-in Super-Dynamic Speaker. Shipping wt. 135 lbs. Cash price F. O. B. Shenandoah...

**\$100.00**

**\$112.50**



You Can Rely on My Statements in this Catalog, and on My Guarantee on All My Goods No. 2 Plate

# Mays Guaranteed Radios

Here Is a Powerful Set That Will Bring  
the Home ALL the Joy of Radio

## THIS 6-TUBE MAYOLA

**Battery Operated. Single Dial Control  
NEW CONSOLE SET**

*With DYNAMIC Speaker*



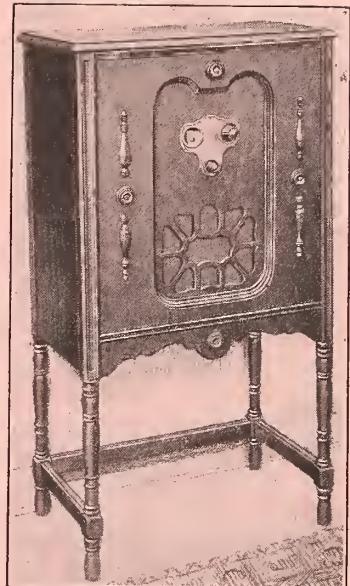
### Attractive New Table Model

R-660—Set only without equipment of tubes and speaker. Cash price F. O. B. Shenandoah ..... \$36<sup>50</sup>  
(Without Equipment)

R-665—Complete with improved Drum Type Loud Speaker; 120-ampere-hour "A" Battery; 3 heavy duty 45-volt "B" batteries; two 4½-volt "C" Batteries; five 201A Tubes; one 112A Power Tube; Aerial and Ground. Cash price, F. O. B. Shenandoah ..... \$67<sup>50</sup>  
(Complete Equipment)

### Sold on 10-Day Trial—Easy Terms if You Wish

All my Mayola Radio Receivers are shipped subject to your ten-days trial and approval. If interested in my easy payment plan, write for full information. A small down payment brings a new Mayola to your home. Try it out for ten days and I know exactly what your decision will be.



### Console—Set Only

R-670—Console with Dynamic Speaker—without tubes and batteries. Cash Price F. O. B. Shenandoah ..... \$63<sup>35</sup>

## MY 7-TUBE ALL-ELECTRIC MAYOLA In Handsome New Gold-Finish Metal Table Model



Everything you want in a radio receiver—full, well rounded tone; accurate volume control; selectivity that separates stations and eliminates interference; plenty of volume for distant stations.

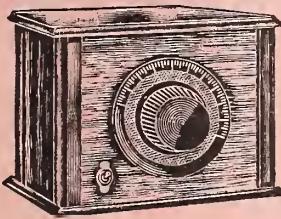
This set operates on any 110-volt, 60-cycle alternating current. Not for operation on direct current or Farm Light plants.

R-720—Set Only without equipment of tubes or speaker. Cash price..... \$41<sup>50</sup>

R-725—Complete with four 226 AC Amplifier Tubes; one 227 AC Detector Tube; one 171A Power Tube; one 280 Rectifier Tube; Drum Type Loud Speaker; Aerial and Ground. Cash price..... \$59<sup>00</sup>

Prices are F.O.B. Shenandoah

### Make Your Set More Selective



**MY KMA  
RADIO  
TRAFFIC COP  
\$6<sup>00</sup>  
Postpaid**

R-370—Equal to another tube on your set. Tunes antenna, eliminates interference, and brings out distant stations. Works opposite from old wave trap. Instead of trapping out unwanted station, traps in station you want. For single dial sets—Atwater-Kent, Radiola, Majestic, Kolster, etc. Try it for ten days.

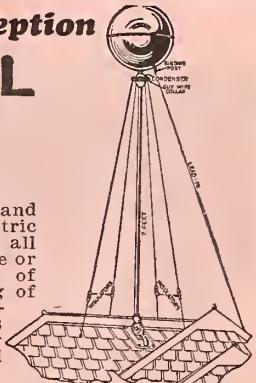
### Get Better Radio Reception

## BALL AERIAL

\$11.50 Value, Special,  
F. O. B. Shenandoah,

**\$4<sup>95</sup>**

R-70—Gives increased volume and selectivity, especially for all-electric receivers; equal reception from all points of compass. Doesn't corrode or tarnish. Complies with standard of National Electric Code and ruling of National Board of Fire Underwriters. Complete with two lengths of conduit pipe, lead-in wire, guy wire, insulators, ground clamp, all needed parts and instructions.



# My KMA Radio "B" Batteries Give You More Use of Your Radio at Less Cost

## as PROVED by Tests

You will get more hours of continuous use—more days and evenings of radio entertainment and instruction—from your set powered with KMA "B" Batteries.

They have wonderful recuperative power. They regain voltage when not in use, adding many more hours of service than most other batteries.

Whatever the size of your set, from a 2 or 3-tube outfit up to the big ones with six tubes or more:—

## There is a KMA Battery for Every Radio Set

For your 2 or 3-tube set use my KMA Standard "B" Battery. For the 4 to 6-tube receiver my Jumbo Heavy Duty "B" Battery is the one to use. But for 6 tubes or more my big Giant Square Cell Batteries are the best and most economical.

## KMA Standard "B" Battery 45-Volt, Round Cell Type

**For 2 and 3-Tube Sets**—KMA Standard 45-Volt "B" Battery is the best power source for two and three tube Radio sets. It has the same high quality construction and materials as used in our larger batteries.

R 242—Shipping weight 10½ pounds.

**Postpaid \$1.89 Each**  
**Two for \$3.57**



## KMA JUMBO "B" Batteries For 4 to 6 Tube Sets—45-Volt, Round Cell

Our Jumbo Heavy Duty Type battery has been a favorite for over 3 years. It is of finest round cell construction, with heavy zinc cells, triple-sealed, to retain all long-life-giving elements. Balanced construction converts all the elements into current.

R 484—Shipping weight, 13 pounds.

**\$2 75 EACH Postpaid**      **2 for \$5.00**      **3 for \$7.50**

## KMA "C" Batteries

KMA "C" batteries are necessary on most sets to balance the load on the "B" batteries.

R 121—4½-volt "C" batteries, postpaid, each ..... 35c  
R 131—22½-volt combination "B" and "C" battery, postpaid, each ..... 98c

**NOTE: Prices Postpaid  
in Zones 1, 2 and 3—**

All KMA "B" Batteries are shipped postpaid in zones 1, 2 and 3. For shipment to zone 4, add 25c per battery additional postage.

## KMA "GIANT" SQUARE CELL SUPER "B" BATTERIES

### 45-Volt

#### Every Square Inch Is Current

These square-cell Super "B" Batteries do not have a bit of waste space inside the case. Crammed full of active current-producing material; and deliver as much service as round-cell batteries many times the size.

This is the battery that runs the big amplifiers on our broadcasting equipment. Repeated tests show it is the only battery that will give real service on this extra heavy load.

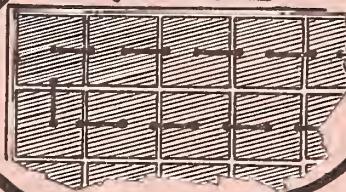
R 990—These Super "B" Batteries are just the thing for the bigger sets, especially those using 6 tubes or more. Shipping wt. 17½ lbs.

**Notice How**—in diagram opposite, every inch of space in a "Giant" Square-Cell Battery is used for current-producing material as compared with the waste space between cells of the round cell type shown below.



All KMA Batteries come to you securely packed for safe shipment, complete and ready to run as soon as you unpack them.

### SQUARE CELL



**EACH \$3.25  
Postpaid**

**2 for \$6.35**

**3 for \$9.25**

## MORE POWER—at Lower Cost with My Big KMA 200 HOUR "A" BATTERIES

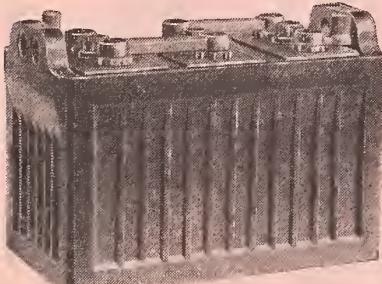
### 20-Plate—Guaranteed 200 Ampere Hours—Cut Recharging Cost

This Super-Power 200-ampere-hour "A" Battery is a big husky battery that is especially recommended for farm use where batteries must be taken to town for re-charging. It saves a lot of extra trips, cuts your charging bills in half—as well as giving you longer continuous use of your radio.

Direct factory connections and large quantity purchases allow us to make this low price. Genuine hard rubber case, from which acid can't leak out, and that will stand years of service; genuine Port-Orford cedar, vertical grain separators; double power plates give extra capacity and long life.

R 200—20 plates—the most powerful "A" battery yet developed for ordinary use. Extra heavy construction; enormous capacity. Guaranteed for two years. Shipped fully charged and ready to use. F. O. B. Shenandoah.....

**\$11.95**



**The Best Storage Battery  
for Farm Radio Use**

# Use My Guaranteed KMA Tubes for Best Reception



## KMA Radio Tubes

### A Double Service Tube at No Extra Cost

Compare my prices on these guaranteed double service tubes—for every Radio purpose—with the prices of other tubes made for the same uses. Whatever size or make your set may be I can supply you with KMA guaranteed tubes to fit it, and provide you with better radio reception and service at much less cost.

KMA Radio Tubes are made to my own particular and rigid specifications in one of the largest, best equipped, modern radio factories.



#### ILLUSTRATING DIFFERENCES IN TUBES BY BASES

The arrangement of prongs and shape of base identify the tube for your set.  
**Type (A) Dry Cell** Type (B) Dry Cell  
**Type (C) Battery** Type (D) Dry Cell  
 Tube. (Old Type). Tube. 2 thick, 2 and AC Tube. Tube. Base as  
 4 short equal size thin long prongs Prongs as (B),  
 prongs, long as (C) but dif- (B) but 1 thick,  
 base, for older ferent base. Replaces old UV 3 thin long  
 type sets. prongs.



**RADIOTRONS.** While I recommend KMA Tubes because I guarantee them, I also list Radiotrons for those who want that brand.

**GUARANTEE.** If any KMA Tube fails to give good reception for one year I will replace it if not burned out or short circuited accidentally.

### MY KMA RADIO TUBES ARE GUARANTEED FOR ONE YEAR For Battery Operated Radio Sets—KMA Tubes

**TYPE 201A.** Regular tube for sets operated on storage battery, interchangeable with type CX-301A. Base (C).

**R-1200. KMA Type X-201A.....\$ .80**

**R-1201. Radiotron UX-201A.....1.25**

**TYPE 200A.** Special Detector tube, brings in weak and distant stations. No additional battery. Base (C).

**R-1205. KMA Type X-200A.....\$1.67**

**R-1206. Radiotron UX-200A.....4.00**

**TYPE 112A.** Power tube for battery sets. Base (C).

**R-1210. KMA Type X-112A.....\$1.67**

**R-1211. Radiotron type UX-112A 2.50**

**TYPE X-199.** Long prong base, three-volt dry cell tubes. Base (B).

**R-1220. KMA Type X-199.....\$1.25**

**R-1221. Radiotron UX-199.....2.50**

**TYPE V-199.** Short-prong base, three-volt dry cell tube. Base (A).

**R-1215. KMA Type V-199.....\$1.25**

**R-1216. Radiotron UV-199.....2.75**

#### TUBE PRICES POSTPAID

All Tubes listed here shipped postpaid at these prices. Compare these postpaid prices with any others and note the saving.

**TYPE 11.** 1-volt dry cell tube, mostly Radiola 111 and 111A. Base (D).

**R-1225. KMA Type D11.....\$1.25**

**R-1226. Radiotron WD-11.....3.00**

**TYPE D-12.** 1-volt dry cell tube, large base, fits standard socket. Base (C).

**R-1230. KMA Type D-12.....\$1.25**

**R-1231. Radiotron WD-12.....3.00**

**TYPE X-120.** Dry cell power tube 3-volt filament, for Radiola 20, 25, 28. Base (B).

**R-1222. KMA Type X-120.....\$1.50**

**R-1223—Radiotron UX-120.....3.00**

### For AC All Electric Radio Sets—KMA Tubes

**TYPE 226.** AC Amplifier tube, 1½ volt filament. Base (C).

**R-1235. KMA Type X-226.....\$1.39**

**R-1236. Radiotron UX-226.....2.00**

**TYPE 227.** 5-prong Detector tube KMA Y-227 guaranteed exceptional volume and long life; heats quickly.

**R-1240. KMA Type Y-227.....\$1.98**

**R-1241. Radiotron UY-227.....3.00**

**TYPE 171A.** Power tube, 5 volt filament, (also used on battery sets with 2½-volt "C" battery). Base (C).

**R-1245. KMA Type X-171A.....\$1.67**

**R-1246. Radiotron UX-171A.....2.50**

**TYPE 245.** Power tube for new Mayola all electric, for volume with perfect tone. 2½-volt filament. Base (C).

**R-1250. KMA Type X-245.....\$2.39**

**R-1251. Radiotron UX-245.....3.50**

**TYPE 224.** Screen Grid AC tube, high amplification, for Mayola DeLuxe Console (see page 38). 5-prong base, special connection on top.

**R-1255. KMA Type Y-224.....\$2.95**

**R-1256. Radiotron UX-224.....4.00**

**TYPE 280.** Full wave Rectifier tube, double filament. Base (C).

**R-1260. KMA Type X-280.....\$2.39**

**R-1261. Radiotron UX-280.....3.50**

**TYPE 281.** Single wave Rectifier tube. Base (C).

**R-1265. KMA Type X-281.....\$3.98**

**R-1266. Radiotron UX-281.....7.25**

**TYPE 210A.** 7½-watt Power tube used on some older sets and some loud speaker systems. Base (C).

**R-1270. KMA Type X-210A.....\$4.50**

**R-1271. Radiotron UX-210.....9.00**

**TYPE 250.** Power amplifier tube used in some AC sets. Base (C).

**R-1275. KMA Type X-250.....\$5.50**

**R-1276. Radiotron UX-250.....11.00**

### "My Leader" Storage Battery

**R 11.** 11-plate; sturdy construction; hard rubber case; guaranteed 18 months service. Fully charged and ready to use as received. Crated F. O. B. Shenandoah... \$5.95

### "A" Storage Batteries

#### K. M. A. Radio "A" Batteries.

KMA Radio "A" batteries all guaranteed to give two years of satisfactory service. All fully charged, crated and ready to use as received. Prices F. O. B. Shenandoah.

**R 120.** 100-120 ampere-hour.....\$ 7.45

**R 150.** 140-150 " " .....8.65

**R 175.** 160-175 " " .....10.65

### Auto Storage Batteries

#### Guaranteed for 2 Years' Service

Batteries that start your car on cold winter mornings. Double power plates and genuine Port-Orford cedar separators give increased power and performance. Genuine hard rubber cases insure long life, free from trouble. F. O. B. Shenandoah.

**R 13.** 13-plate; for light cars, Ford, Chevrolet, Whippet, etc. ....\$7.45

**R 15.** 15-plate; for Studebaker, Hudson, Buick, new Dodge, etc. ....8.65

**R 12.** 12-volt; for older Dodge. ....9.45

"I am sending order for radio tubes. Out here they ask nearly twice as much. I am very much pleased with the batteries I got from you some time ago. They are still going strong.

J. L. Burke,  
Maxwell, Nebr.

### Letters Like These Tell The Tale

"The Jumbo 'B' Battery I bought of you Dec. 26, 1927, . . . is still going strong. Only this morning I had to turn set down all the way and still KMA came in loud. I get San Antonio, Washington, D. C., etc. This is a 5-tube set I bought from you over four years ago, and it still has the same tubes that came with it. I think that's getting 100% for my dollar in service."—C. A. Boos, Massena, Iowa. (January 1929.)

# Style, Good Fit and Fine Tailoring in These Genuine **ALL-WOOL SUITS**

## *Three Newest Best Models*

No. 397  
Young  
Men's  
Style



Thousands of my customers, last fall and this winter, were amazed at the wonderful values I have in suits. Hundreds, yes thousands, of these suits were sold to my customers on the basis of "satisfaction guaranteed." You too can buy one of my suits with the understanding that **you must be satisfied**. I am having these suits made by factories according to my own specifications of manufacture; I control the entire output of one factory. Surely, with this connection I can save you money.

### **For Only \$18<sup>50</sup>**

*Postpaid*

(Or with 2 Pants \$21.95)

*All Wool Worsteds,  
Cheviots, Twills,  
and Cassimeres.*

Three models, shown on this and the next page—two new 2-button styles for the younger men; with notched or peak lapels, and a new conservative 3-button style for older men. Striped, mixed, or herringbone weave patterns in either model. Also solid colors of Blue, Gray and Brown.

**An Up-to-the-Minute  
Model for Young Men**

→ **No. 397**

All the new patterns and shades. Neat looking, 2-button model, with notched lapels; lined with genuine alpaca. Six-button vest, and wide cuff-button trousers. A suit you will be proud to wear.

**Blue, Gray or Brown.  
Sizes 34 to 46. Postpaid.**

**\$18<sup>50</sup>**  
*Postpaid*    **ONE PAIR  
TROUSERS**

**\$21<sup>95</sup>**  
*Postpaid*    **TWO PAIRS  
TROUSERS**

**A Style for  
Conservative Men**

**No. 398—3-Button Model**



**Blue, Gray or Brown**

**\$18<sup>50</sup>**  
*Postpaid*    **ONE PAIR  
TROUSERS**

**Sizes 34 to 46. Postpaid.**

**\$21<sup>95</sup>**  
*Postpaid*    **TWO PAIRS  
TROUSERS**

A conservative model always in style. 3-button coat with notched lapels. Made of hard finished worsted material; will wear like iron. Five-button vest; wide, cuff-bottom trousers.



No. 398  
Conser-  
vative  
Model

# **Quality and Price Combined in These SUITS at \$18<sup>50</sup>**

No. 399  
Young Men's  
Model

## In Three Styles—Shown on These Two Pages

The materials in all my suits at this price are wonderful—as fine in quality, color and weave as you could get in suits elsewhere at \$30.00 to \$35.00. New weaves and new patterns of strictly all-wool—tailored in a manner to insure most perfect fit and ease, as well as long and serviceable wear. You'll look your best dressed in one of these.

**This Fine New Style—No. 399  
With Peaked Lapel, for Young Men**

**Blue, Gray or Brown \$1850 Sizes 34-46  
Postpaid**

**Or With 2 Pairs of Trousers, \$21.95**

This is another fine new style, with the popular peaked lapel. This model can be had in all colors and fabrics mentioned in the description of the other two models at this price.

Besides the use of finest all wool fabrics, there is real quality too in the way these suits are made.

### **NOTE These Features in All My \$18.50 Suits:**

**Genuine linen canvas front**—not cotton. This makes the front hold its shape and prevents shrink you sometimes get in cheaper made suits.

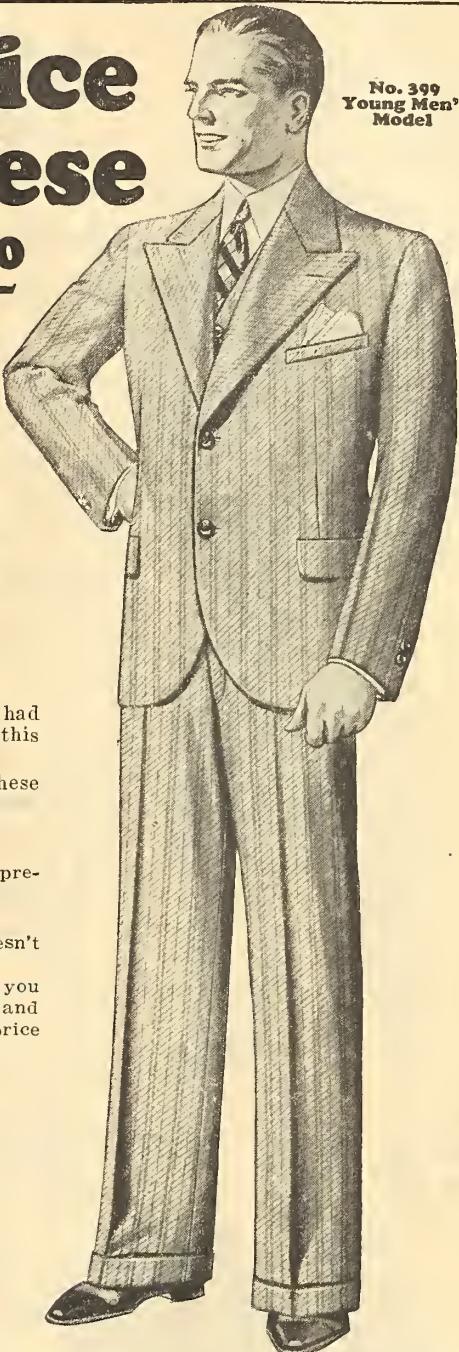
**Fine taped haircloth lapels**—well padded and shaped shoulders.

**Genuine "Hymo" collar and "Hymo" faced lapel.** This makes a rolling lapel that doesn't break and gives you the well dressed appearance.

You can get any of these new spring suits with an extra pair of pants for less than you often paid elsewhere for suits with only one pair. Just think, a **4-piece** suit—coat, vest and **2 pairs** of pants for only \$21.95. The length of wear **two** suits would give at **half** the price of two.

#### **Here's What I Guarantee:**

- (1) **—My Fabrics Are All-Wool.**
  - (2) **—My Styles Are Latest.** Produced in the great clothing centers by manufacturers who set men's styles.
  - (3) **—My Suits Adapted for Year 'Round Wear.** The material and excellence of tailoring insure continuous wear.
  - (4) **—My Trimmings Are Best Grade.** Linings, buttons, pockets—all best selected quality.
  - (5) **—My Suits Fit.** Tailored so they will fit (see below for how to measure—it's easy).
  - (6) **—My Prices Are Lowest.** Because I buy direct from manufacturer in tremendous wholesale quantities, and sell direct.



**Tell Me Your Size, Choice of Material and Color  
—and Which of the 3 Models [No. 397, 398 or 399]**

It is easy to order my suits and get one to fit and please you. **BE SURE TO STATE ON YOUR ORDER** whether you want conservative or snappy models, the kind of goods, color desired, and size you wear.

**I GUARANTEE TO FIT YOU**

Tell me age, height and weight. I have a full line to fit everyone—regular, tall, short or stout. Whatever your build, I have a suit to fit you.

**IT'S EASY—MEASURE THIS WAY:**

**(A) Chest Measurement.** Place tape all around your body, over your vest, close up under arms. Do not pull tape too tight and do not let it slip down in back.

**(B) Waist Measurement**—just above your hips, over the trousers.

**(C) Inseam Length**—tape placed close up in crotch, and measure down to desired length.

For cuff bottom trousers, inseam should be a little shorter than for plain bottom.



**Three Measurements  
I Need to Know:**

- [A] Chest Measure.**
- [B] Waist Measure**
- [C] Inseam Length**

Save  
\$10  
to  
\$15



# All-Wool Overcoats

## Latest Styles at Largest Savings

Conservative and Snappy Models

Sizes \$14<sup>85</sup> Newest  
34 to 46 POST-PAID Shades

My plan of placing big orders with factories during off seasons, brings you real savings.

Here's a beautifully tailored all-wool coat; conservative three button, double breasted coats in gray, tan, blue, brown, plaids and stripes. Also latest snappy styles in this same quality for younger men. If you want 1930 style, combined with long wear, here it is.

Sizes 34 to 46. State chest measurement, and style and color you want.



### Heaviest All-Wool Overcoats

Same Styles and Tailoring as above—but heavier weight.....

\$17<sup>85</sup>  
POSTPAID

The best I've seen below \$25. Much heavier and warmer than the coat above, but costs only \$3.00 more—although well worth \$10 more. Same styles and colors. I guarantee you'll be more than pleased.

**Here's a Raincoat for Wet Weather and Top Coat for Chilly Spring Days. All in One—in this**

### Leatherette Raincoat

Double Duty \$6<sup>49</sup> POSTPAID Sizes 34 to 48

Black leatherette coat; cut full and roomy; two side pockets with flaps; all-around belt; and large turn-up collar which buttons up well around neck. Not only a raincoat, but also a topcoat, as it has heavy suede moleskin lining. Guaranteed not to check, peel or crack. Cannot be equaled anywhere in quality, service or price. Size 34 to 48.

**Sheep-Lined \$9.85**  
Postpaid



#### MY GUARANTEE

I guarantee the lining to be genuine, specially selected sheepskin; the material to be heavy weight moleskin; and workmanship equal to that in coats sold elsewhere for more money.

If, after inspecting this coat you are not entirely satisfied, return it and I will refund your money.

EARL E. MAY

PRICES  
POST-PAID

Men's Sizes  
36 to 48

**\$9.85**

Large Sizes  
50 to 56

**\$6.95**

Boys' Sizes  
10 to 18 years

**\$6.95**

Prices Postpaid

### Blue Corduroy Coat \$10.85

Made of Crompton narrow wale cord, with strong, fleece-lined sleeves, 100% wool knitted wristlets and 6 inch beaverized collar. Full 36 in length, lined with best sheep pelts. Has two large pockets with flaps, two muff pockets and belt all around. You save \$4 to \$6 on this.



### Mayworth Moleskin Sheep-lined Coats \$6.65

Warm weight, drab Moleskin, full 36 in. long; 5½ in. beaverized collar; lined with good sheep pelts. Leather reinforced pocket corners, stayput buttons, and strengthened arm holes.

Men's, 36 to 46 POSTPAID \$6.65

Men's, 48 to 52 ..... \$7.25

Boys' 6 to 10 years ..... 4.95

Boys', 12 to 18 years ..... 5.85

Prices Postpaid

### Super-Mayworth Moleskin Coats Sizes 36-48 \$8.35 POSTPAID

Sizes 50-54, \$9.95

Equal to coats others price \$12 to \$15. Finest grade 10 oz. green Moleskin; lined with Lawrence unclipped sheep pelts. Full 36 in. length; double breasted, extra full and roomy; big arm holes; oversize beaverized sheepskin collar, 6 in. wide. Knitted wristlets, pockets reinforced with leather, armholes with heavy cloth.

# My 11 - Point Work Shirts Can't Be Beat for Value

*Big, Roomy, Sturdy Chambray Shirts  
—Triple Stitched for Longer Service-  
able Wear*

**3 FOR \$248**  
Post-paid

**6 FOR \$495**  
Post-paid

Sizes 14-17—Blue or Gray

Sizes 17½ to 20, Blue only, 3 for \$2.74

Any man who works wants good work shirts, and, men, these shirts are the best I've ever seen. Cut extra large. In fact, the entire shirt is made over dimensions several inches larger in proportion to the neck size than in ordinary work shirts. No binding tightness.

Made of strong, genuine Chambray, blue or gray, coat style. Triple stitched to stand real and long work use. Full 36 inches long. Our best shirt.



## NOTE These Eleven Big Features:

- 1—Lined Collar
- 2—Aluminum Buttons
- 3—One-Piece Sleeve Facing
- 4—Seams Triple Stitched
- 5—Long Non-Rip Side Seam
- 6—Double Yoke

- 7—Full Cut Armholes
- 8—Oversize Body
- 9—2 Large Pockets
- 10—Heavy Chambray
- 11—Large, Lined Cuffs

# MAY'S Farm Belt OVERALLS Stand the Gaff for Work and Wear



**MY GUARANTEE: A New Pair if They Rip**

**HEAVY  
DENIM**

**2 POST-  
PAID FOR \$298**

Either High  
Back Style or  
Detachable  
Suspenders  
or Bibless  
Cowboy Style

**Regular  
Sizes  
30-42**

**3 POST-  
PAID FOR \$429**

**(OVERSIZES, 44-50, Prices 15¢ More per Garment: Extra Large, Over 52, 30¢ More)**  
Farmers are best judges of overalls. They buy more, use them harder, and are not backward in letting us know what they want in overalls. We took the ideas and suggestions from thousands of overall customers and built these Farm Belt overalls. Very best extra heavy denim, pre-shrunk, double dyed and as near fade-proof as denim can be made.

**NOTE THESE FEATURES:** Double lined suspenders—can't roll; TEN POCKETS: Watch, pencil, flap pocket, match pocket, plier and rule pocket, hammer loop, as well as the two big, roomy pockets in front and two lined hip pockets. Men's overalls triple stitched—I'll give you a new pair if they rip. Absolutely an overall for wear.

## Farm Belt Denim Work Jackets

Same heavy denim as in "Farm Belt" overalls; Raglan sleeves for comfort; 4 large, double-stitched pockets; adjustable collar and cuffs; detachable, non-rusting buttons. A serviceable, long-wearing, comfortable jacket. Sizes 36 to 44.

### ORDER AN ASSORTMENT—Overalls and Jackets

Order an assortment of 2 or 3 "Farm Belt" garments any way you like, 1 overall and 1 jacket or two and one of either.

**(OVERSIZES, 44-50, Prices 15¢ More per Garment: Extra Large, Over 52, 30¢ More)**

**2 Post-  
paid FOR \$298**

**3 Post-  
paid FOR \$429**

## Boys' Overalls and Jackets—Like Dad's

Same quality and construction as men's overalls and jackets described above.

\*3 to 7 Years

8 to 11 Years

12 to 16 Years

**2 Postpaid FOR \$175**

**2 Postpaid FOR \$193**

**2 Postpaid FOR \$225**

# Plenty of Style and Long Wear in My New Spring Patterns of DRESS-UP SHIRTS

*The Equal of Any \$2 Shirts - Anywhere*

For Only **\$1.65** Each  
*Postpaid*

**Three Different Patterns for \$4.65**

More style and wear than I ever saw in a dress shirt before. Made of best broadcloth, Madras, French Flannel, silk striped broadcloth, and silk striped Madras.

All pre-shrunk and wool-dyed. Absolutely guaranteed not to shrink or fade. I'll give you a new shirt for any of these that do. Best quality pearl buttons.

### I Wear Them—So I Know They Are Good

I know these shirts fit well, look well and are equal to a \$2.00 shirt because the shirts I wear come from this same stock.

**Let Me Send You An Assortment.** Just write me an order for three and see these amazing values in shirts for yourself. Sizes 14 to 17, collar attached. Give size, material, and color wanted.  
*Postpaid* ..... 3 for \$4.65



Sizes  
14 to 17  
Collar  
Attached

## Men's Spring Weight Underwear

*Unusual Savings on Seasonable Garments*

### FANCY CHECK OR MADRAS ATHLETIC UNION SUITS



108—A nationally known brand. Cut full; legs wide and correct lengths. Twin needle stitched; Flap button sewed on seam, 4 thicknesses of material, two reinforced yokes. Round or V neck.

**3 for \$2.40 POST-PAID**

Be sure to state size and kind wanted; whether check or fancy madras, and round or V-neck.

### Men's Athletic Union Suits

**Sizes 36-46**

**Postpaid**

110—Made of a good quality nainsook, suspender and snubber back. Wide 2 inch reinforcement which gives extra strength and extra wear. Exceptionally well stitched and finished throughout.

### LIGHT WEIGHT RIBBED ANKLE LENGTH SUITS

109—if you prefer a light weight ribbed union suit we can furnish you a fine knitted union suit with rayon silk stripe and trim down the front, fine pearl buttons, short sleeves, ankle length style.

**3 for \$2.75 POST-PAID**

### Special Value in Men's and Boys' Heavy Blanket-Lined Jackets

**Men's Sizes  
36 to 52 in. Chest  
Postpaid** **\$2.49**

**Boys' Sizes  
8 to 18 Years  
Postpaid** **\$2.29**

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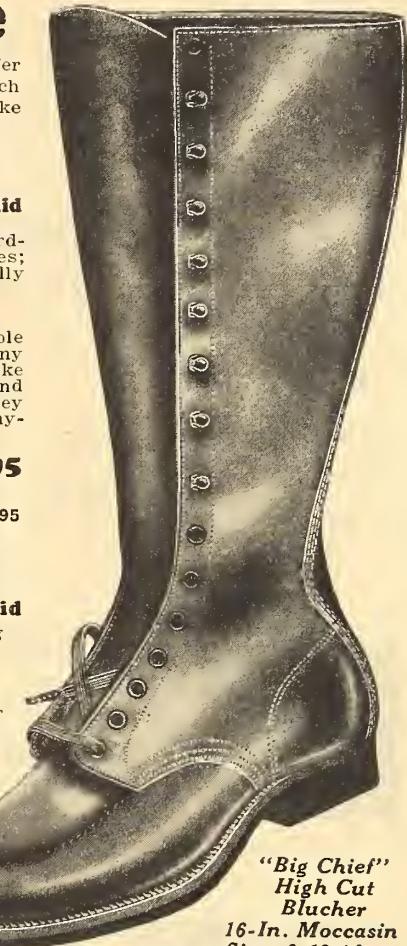
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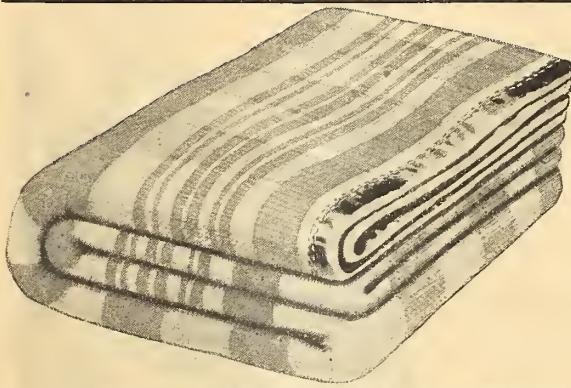


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Large double blankets in No. 2990—66x80 in. fancy colored plaids of blue, Delivered, for..... \$3.95 rose, green, gray, lavender, apricot. No. 3000—70x80 in. Delivered, for..... 4.15 cot, gold.

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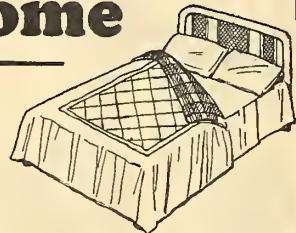
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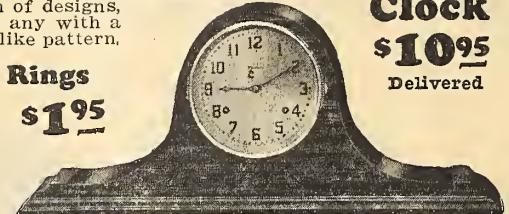
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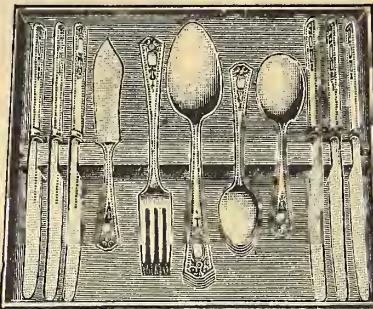
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All you have to do is send me your watch; we will check it over, and guarantee to repair it to stay in the best of condition for one year, at smallest cost.



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# All Summer Flower Seeds

## Beautiful Flowers from My Seed



Branching Aster

**AGERATUM.** 5 inches tall. One of the best bedding plants. Splendid for borders or edging. Bloom the entire season. Rapid grower.

1012—**Little White Star.** Pkt., 10c.

1013—**Little Blue Star.** The most satisfactory blue for our climate. Pkt., 20c.

**ALYSSUM** (Sweet Alyssum or Madwort). Pretty little plants for beds or vases blooming all Summer long. Very sweetly scented.

1015—**Little Gem or Carpet of Snow.** The plants, which are only a few inches high, grow very dense and are completely covered with snow-white flowers. Unsurpassed for borders. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25c.

1016—**Lilac Queen.** Deep lavender-lilac. Of dwarf habit. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25c.

1018—**AMARANTHUS** (Tri-color Splendens—Joseph's Coat). Very useful in borders of tall plants, among shrubs, or for centers of large beds. Grows 2½ feet tall. Inner foliage is of blackest bronze tipped with green. Outer foliage scarlet and gold. Pkt., 10c.

1056—**AMETHYST FLOWER** (Browallia Elata). A beautiful little annual which should be better known. 12 inches tall. Blooms midsummer to frost. Mixed blue and white. Pkt., 10c.

1105—**ANGEL'S TRUMPET** (Datura). A large, strong plant with trumpet-shaped, fragrant, pearl-white flowers. 3 ft. high. Pkt., 10c.

### ASTERS

(Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) Early sorts begin blooming in July, followed by the mid-season sorts, which are at their best in August. Then come the late blooming kinds, which bloom through September and October.

**CREGO ASTERS.** Late. This variety produces the largest flowers of the Comet type. Very full and fluffy. 4 to 5 inches in diameter. When cut they outlast all other types.

1030—**Crego Crimson.** Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1031—**Crego White.** Pure white. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1032—**Crego Shell Pink.** A clear pink. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1033—**Crego Lavender.** A very fine lavender. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1034—**Crego Purple.** Clear dark purple. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1035—**Crego Mixed.** All colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1036—**BRILLIANT QUILLED ASTERS.** Flowers large and freely produced. Brilliant colors. Petals neatly quilled. Height, 12 inches. Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

1038—**MAY'S MAMMOTH BRANCHING ASTERS.** Large late blooming. Mixed colors. Best in September. Pkt., 10c.

1040—**GIANT COMET ASTERS** (Ostrich Feather). A distinct variety resembling Chrysanthemums. Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

1041—**HEART OF FRANCE ASTERS.** One of the largest flowering Asters. Very dark red. Grows about 24 inches high. Bears in September on long stems. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1046—**LADY ROOSEVELT ASTERS.** A fine variety perfect in shape. A Comet type. Color a wonderful rose-pink. Has long stems. Fine for cutting. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.



Annual Baby's Breath



Candytuft



Ageratum



Sweet Alyssum



Burning Bush

1047—**MAYFAIR LAVENDER ASTERS.** One of the finest, very large and perfectly double. Habit, tall and well branched. Color, clear lavender, which combines well with other colors. It took me a long time to find this one. If you want something extra fine, sow Mayfair Lavender. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

1045—**MAY'S PEONY ASTERS.** Large and perfectly double with beautiful curved petals. Flowers globular form. Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

1127—**BABY'S BREATH.** Annual. Very soft pink in color. This is the annual variety and does not closely resemble the perennial Baby's Breath. Pkt., 10c.

1054—**BALSAM.** Camellia Flowered. Sometimes called "Touch-Me-Not" or "Lady's Slipper." An old favorite garden flower producing brilliant colored flowers in great profusion. Flowers very large, perfect in form, double and produced in abundance

Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

1119—**BLUE LACEFLOWER.** An old-fashioned annual which has been forgotten; broad lacy heads on 2 ft. stems. Clear blue; good cut flower. Pkt., 10c.

1153—**BURNING BUSH** (Kochia). Also called "Summer Cypress." 2½ feet. The globe-shaped or pyramidal bushes are close and compact, of a pleasing light green color. May be grown singly or in the form of a hedge or background. In early Autumn the whole bush becomes carmine or blood-red and is called "Burning Bush." Pkt., 10c.

**CALENDULA** (Pot Marigold).

1057—**Orange King.** Double rich orange-red flowers. 3 inches in diameter. Pkt., 10c.

1058—**Lemon King.** Identical with the preceding except in color, which is a rich lemon color. Pkt., 10c.

1121—**CALIFORNIA POPPY.** A hardy, free-blooming annual growing about 15 inches high and producing quantities of single, bright, poppy-shaped blooms in shades of yellow, orange or red. Pkt., 10c.

1080—**CALLIOPSIS.** (Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) Very hardy and showy annual with bright yellow and reddish brown, single, daisy-like flowers. Easily grown and useful both for garden decoration and cutting. Sow early and thin to 12 inches apart. Mixed. Pkt., 10c.

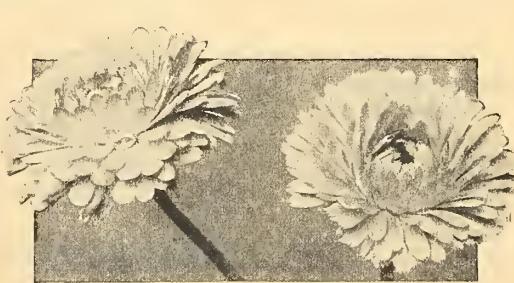
**CANDYTUFT.** These Candytufts are of fine habit and profuse bloomers. They soon flower from seed and remain long in beauty. For massing in flower beds and edgings they make a wonderful showing. Good for cutting.

1063—**Empress.** Pure white. Splendid for cutting. Pkt., 10c.

1064—**Fine Mixed.** Lilac, red, pink and white mixed. Pkt., 10c.

**CANNA** (Indian Shot). Stately plants with handsome foliage and showy flowers. The seeds should be soaked twenty-four hours in warm water before planting. If sown in February should bloom in July.

1066—**Crozy's Dwarf Hybrid.** Saved from best and largest flowers only. All colors. Pkt., 10c.



Calendula (Pot Marigold)



Bachelor's Button (Centaurea)



Dusty Miller (Centaurea)



Single Annual Chrysanthemums



Cockscomb (Celosia)

1086—Queen Mary. Double. Rose-carmine. Pkt., 10c.

1087—Mixed Colors. All varieties. Pkt., 10c.

**COCKSCOMB** (*Celosia Cristata*). Grows about 2 feet high. Of branching habit with feathery plumes. We have all colors from red to yellow and all shades between.

1067—Tall Mixed. Pkt., 10c.

1068—Dwarf Mixed. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1102—**JOB'S TEARS, or COIX.** 2 to 4 feet. An ornamental grass with curious seeds which may be used for beads. Oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c.

1100—**COLEUS.** The most popular of all foliage plants. The red and yellow leaves often measure 10 inches in length and 8 inches in width, and are crimped and frilled with beautiful combinations of colors. Sometimes called Foliage Plant. Fine Mixed. Pkt., 10c.

1061—**CANTERBURY BELLS.** A biennial which seeds itself. Mixed colors. Easily grown and fine for rock gardens or in the border. Pkt., 10c.

**CASTOR BEAN** (*Ricinus*).

1062—*Zanzibarensis*. Mixed. 10 to 12 feet. The oriental leaves, beautifully lobed, are 2 1/2 to 4 feet across. Well adapted for backgrounds. Moles never bother near these plants. Pkt., 10c.

**CENTAUREA.** There are two types of this plant, one is "Gymnocalycium" or "Dusty Miller," a plant with silvery gray foliage and largely used for borders. The other is our old-fashioned "Bachelor's Button" or "Corn Flower," *Centaurea cyanus*, which is a very hardy annual, flowering all Summer and useful for cutting. Very easily grown.

1070—**Bachelor's Button.** Also called Blue Bottle, Ragged Sailor or Corn Flower. Is a hardy annual coming up year after year from self-sown seed. Mixed. Pkt., 10c.

1072—**Dusty Miller.** Graceful, fine cut silvery white foliage. You see this in many parks and gardens. Used for borders. Pkt., 10c.

1071—**Mammoth Sweet Sultan**—Big Bachelor Button. Intense blue. Pkt., 10c.

1099—**CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOT** (*Cynoglossum Amabile*). Something new; a biennial but we grow it as an annual. 18 to 24 inches high. Covered with vivid blue "forget-me-not-like" flowers throughout summer. Very fine for cutting. Pkt., 10c.

1101—**CHINESE WOOLFLOWER** (*Celosia Childsi*). A variety of Cockscomb. Plants grow 2 to 3 feet high, the bloom starting early. It often reaches the immense size of 2 feet in circumference. Scores of branches are thrown out, each bearing a ball of wool. Will not fade until hit by frost. Fine for winter bouquets. Various shades of color. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

### Chrysanthemums

**ANNUAL VARIETIES.** They produce long, stiff-stemmed flowers in attractive shades. They are very showy and effective garden favorites. Blooms keep well in water for a long time.

1074—**Evening Star.** Rich sunflower yellow, disc dark yellow. Pkt., 10c.

1075—**Golden Feather.** Striking yellow flower with a crimson ring near center. Pkt., 10c.

1076—**Morning Star.** Petals primrose-yellow with halo of deeper yellow. Dark yellow disc. Pkt., 10c.

1077—**Northern Star.** Large, pure white, fringed petals with canary-yellow around a dark brown eye. Pkt., 10c.

1078—**The Sultan.** Rich wallflower-red with a narrow yellow zone around the brown disc. Pkt., 10c.

1079—**Mixed Varieties.** All colors and shades. Pkt., 10c.

**CLARKIA**—Very beautiful and attractive, especially in masses. Found by Capt. Clark of Lewis-Clark expedition. It grows in dry places and ordinary soil. Gives masses of bloom.

1084—**Apple Blossom.** Double. Apple blossom pink. Pkt., 10c.

1085—**Brilliant.** Double. Scarlet-salmon. Pkt., 10c.

1104—**DAHLIAS.** Dahlias do not come true-to-name from seed, hence, the improvement and pleasure derived from new varieties. Pkt., 10c.

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1125—**GAILLARDIA.** Annual Blanket Flower. Has heads of star-shaped, tufted flowers and rich blending of red, yellow and orange. 1 1/2 ft. Pkt., 10c.

1175—**GERANIUM.** Favorite house plant. Seed started early will bloom the first year. Mixed colors. Pkt., 10c.

1126—**GLOBE AMARANTH** (*Gomphrena*). An everlasting; closely resembles Clover blossoms. Heads are very compact, round and beautifully colored. Mixed red and white. Pkt., 10c.

1132—**HELIOTROPE.** In shades of purple. Fine for bouquets; sweet vanilla odor. Pkt., 10c.

1151—**ICE PLANT.** Suitable for rock work, hanging baskets, etc. Foliage thick, frosted; waxlike white flowers. Pkt., 10c.

1159—**KENILWORTH IVY** (*Linaria*). Lavender and purple flowers. A charming half-hardy perennial. A trailing plant suitable for baskets, vases, pots and rock work. Pkt., 10c.

1154—**LANTANA.** Shrubbery plants with Verbena-like flowers, in shades of white, red and yellow. Pkt., 10c.

1157—**LARKSPUR.** (Illustrated in color on Back Page.) Giant Hyacinth Flowered. 3 feet. Derives its name from the striking resemblance of the flowers to a double Hyacinth.

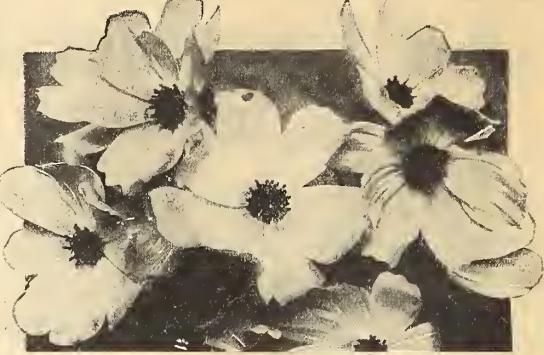
1155—**White.** Pure snow-white elegant flowers set closely on long stately spikes. Pkt., 10c.

1156—**Sky-Blue.** Beautiful sky-blue. Blooms freely and continuously in cool sections. Pkt., 10c.

1157—**Dark Blue.** Dark blue flowers of large size, set so closely on the stem as to form a solid mass of color. Pkt., 10c.

1158—**Pink.** A delicate shade of clear pink. Pkt., 10c.

1162—**Mixed.** A mixture of white, light blue, dark blue and pink. Pkt., 10c.



Early Flowering Mammoth Cosmos

### Cosmos

Beautiful Summer and Autumn blooming plants. Plants are very bushy and compact. They produce thousands of artistic flowers in pure white, pink and crimson shades. Sow in Spring after danger of frost is past. Plant about 18 inches apart in rows or in masses in beds. When the plants are about a foot high pinch out tops to make a bushy growth.

**Early Flowering Mammoth.** (Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) Giant flowered early sorts.

1090—**White.** Pkt., 10c. 1092—**Crimson.** Pkt., 10c.

1091—**Pink.** Pkt., 10c. 1093—**Mixed.** Pkt., 10c.

**Anemone Flowered, or Crown and Crested.** These are different than other Cosmos in the formation of the center of the flower, which develops a crown or crest like an Anemone. The guard petals remain the same. This year I am offering the new, earlier flowering types. More satisfactory than the late flowering varieties.

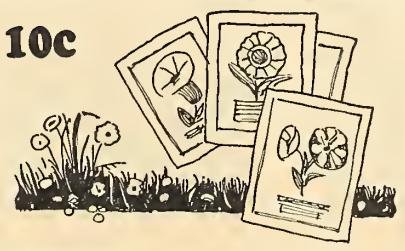
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### Annual Flower Mixture

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Chinese Woolflower



Larkspur

**LOBELIA.** This charming class forms compact little bushes about six inches high and is fairly covered with bloom throughout the season. Highly desirable for edging, ribbon bedding and garden decoration as well as for pot culture.

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10 inches.

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1171—**Lemon Queen.** Light lemon yellow. Pkt., 10c.

#### DWARF SINGLE FRENCH.

1172—**Legion of Honor.** A single-flowering variety forming compact bushes about 9 inches high. Flowers early and up until frost. Golden yellow marked with a large spot of velvety crimson at the base of each petal. Pkt., 25c.

1173—**Golden Star.** Flowers have golden yellow petals with purple-red streaks. Pkt., 10c.

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## Miracle Mixed Pansies

### PREPARING BED FOR GERMINATING SEED:

1. Have your ground perfectly clean and free of weeds and trash; pulverized to a depth of six or more inches.
2. On the level surface spread evenly a layer of pulverized manure, barnyard scrapings preferred, to a depth of at least one inch.
3. Overlay manure with half inch of the best soil you have, thoroughly pulverized.
4. Roll or rake down and tamp surface smooth.
5. Use the hose freely and soak the bed down several inches.
6. Sow your seed in drills or broadcast. We sow broadcast.
7. Cover as lightly as possible with your best soil or sand. Sand is best.
8. Use spray of water to moisten surface.
9. Allowing plenty of ventilation, keep your beds moist, quite moist, but not soaking wet, until plants come up.

### Named Varieties and Mixed

#### ANY 15c PACKETS 2 FOR 25c, POSTPAID

1210—**BRONZE MASTODON.** Very large. All shades from burnished brass to gold, tinged with nearly every color known to Pansies. Pkt., 15c.

1211—**BLACK MASTODON.** Nearly all jet black; a few very dark purple and all velvety in substance and of immense size. Pkt., 15c.

1213—**IMPROVED VOLCANO.** A rich, velvety burgundy red of immense size. Pkt., 15c.

1216—**MADAME PERRETT.** A beautiful and distinct type with edges of petals frilled and bordered white; colors dark wine, pink and red. Pkt., 15c.

1221—**GOLDEN QUEEN.** Large size with good form and rich coloring of petals. Pure yellow. Very attractive. Pkt., 15c.

1223—**ROYAL PURPLE.** The flowers are remarkably large and bold. Deep rich royal purple, contrasting well with the bright green foliage. Especially attractive. Pkt., 15c.

1224—**GIANT RUFFLED MASTERPIECE.** Giant size flowers, petals heavily ruffled, giving them the effect of a double flower. The colors are mainly rich dark shades, bordered and blotched with contrasting colors. Blooms freely and continuously during cool weather. Pkt., 20c.

**MIGNONETTE.** A delightfully fragrant, hardy annual, blooming the entire season in the flower border. Also fine for pot culture during the Winter and Spring.

1181—**Defiance.** This magnificent variety, when grown under proper conditions, will produce spikes 12 to 15 inches long. Pkt., 10c.

1182—**Large Flowering.** The common sweet Mignonette; an old favorite. Pkt., 10c.

### SEEDS FOR HEDGES

Four O'Clock, Salvia (Flowering Sage), Kochia (Summer Cypress or Burning Bush), Zinnia, Geranium.

### Nasturtiums

Nasturtiums cannot be equalled for duration of bloom, ease of culture, brilliancy of coloring, and general excellence.

#### DWARF NASTURTUMS.

Suitable for edging and bedding. Grow quickly and furnish the greatest abundance of long lasting, sweet scented cut flowers.

1190—**Beauty.** Scarlet splashed canary. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1191—**Pearl.** White. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1192—**Golden King.** Bright yellow. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1193—**Rose.** Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1194—**King Theodore.** Dark maroon; dark foliage. Pkt., 10c, oz., 20c.

1195—**Empress of India.** Brilliant crimson. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

1196—**King of Tom Thumbs.** Intense deep scarlet; dark foliage. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

1197—**Mixed Dwarf.** All varieties and colors. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00.

**TALL OR CLIMBING VARIETIES.** 8 to 10 ft. Should be planted in dry, poor soil, as on rich ground they are inclined to run to leaf.

1198—**Crimson.** Bright crimson. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1199—**Scarlet.** Pretty scarlet flowers. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

1200—**Jupiter.** Great, rich yellow flowers resembling orchids in their beauty. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

1201—**Magnificence.** Rich, deep crimson flowers; dark foliage. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

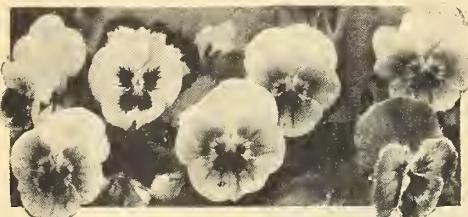
1202—**Moonlight (Pearl).** Creamy white, Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1203—**Vesuvius.** Salmon-rose; dark foliage. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.

1204—**Mixed Tall Varieties.** All sorts and colors. This mixture includes popular strains and colors. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 50c.



Nasturtiums



1225—**MAY'S BLEND OF GIANT FANCY PANSIES.** For the lover of fine Pansies, this blend cannot be surpassed. It is a mixture of the largest and most beautiful blotched Pansies. Well formed and expanded flowers of large size, with a wonderful range of colors. Blooms thick and heavy, making them much waved and crinkled on the edges. Flowers on long stems and are fine for cutting. Pkt., 20c; 1/16 oz., 50c; 1/4 oz., \$1.35, postpaid.

1226—**MAY'S MIRACLE MIXED.** Our super mixture contains all the finest types of all strains, latest novelties and including ruffled flowers and many of the new Sunburst Pansies; smoky rims, henna shades, with fine long stems. Here is something different and better in the Pansy world. Pkt., 25c; 1/16 oz., 60c; 1/4 oz., \$2.00, postpaid.

### MIRACLE MIXED PANSY PLANTS

**All colors.** My mixture is composed of all colors of the very best varieties including ruffled flowers, smoky rims, henna shades, etc., a fine mixture and I am sure they will please you. 60c per dozen plants; 3 doz. for \$1.50; \$4.00 per 100, postpaid in zones 1, 2, 3 and 4.

### MAY'S FLOWERS AND GARDEN PLANTS GROW!

"The Roses we received from you last Spring are the finest ever. They are in bloom now and have been for the last six weeks. Even when we received them they looked like five year old plants. My Mastodon Strawberries are wonderful! Every one of the 200 grew. I planted the first 100 the 5th of April and we had strawberries to eat the first day of June."—Mrs. N. M. Albright, New Virginia, Iowa.

## Petunias

Few plants equal the Petunias for freedom of bloom and variety of color. Petunias will produce handsome, sweet-scented flowers in their delicate and gorgeous colors throughout the whole Summer. Unsurpassed for boxes, beds or informal garden planting.

### SMALL SINGLE FLOWERING, 1½ feet.

1230—General Dods. Beautiful velvety dark red. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

1231—Howard Star. Rich velvety maroon with a blotch on each petal. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

1232—Rosy Morn. Soft rose-pink with white throat; very dainty and one of the most popular flowering plants in cultivation. 15c per pkt.; 2 for 25c.

1233—Snowball. A fine, compact sort producing pure satiny white flowers throughout the entire season. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

1234—Violet Queen. Velvety violet blue. 15c per pkt.; 2 for 25c.

### LARGE SINGLE FLOWERING, 3-4 in. Diameter

1235—Balcony Blue. Rich velvety indigo blue. 20c per pkt.

1237—Balcony Rose. Rose color. Pkt., 25c.

1238—Balcony White. A beautiful trailing variety. Pkt., 20c.

### GIANT RUFFLED AND FRINGED SINGLE.

1239—Flowers are exquisitely ruffled or frilled, of immense size and of a great variety of colors. Pkt., 20c.

## Annual Phlox

The showiest and most easily raised of all annuals. All the tints of the rainbow are represented with all possible variations of stripes; veins and eyes of contrasting shades. We know of nothing which produces such a continuous supply of the most attractive flowers and a wonderful range of colors. 12 inches high.

1243—Scarlet. Fiery scarlet.

1244—White. Snow white with dark eye. A good contrast.

1245—Rose. Deep rose.

1246—Yellow.

1247—Extra Choice Mixed. Best large flowers.

1248—Starred and Fringed. Very dwarf flowers, fringed and distinctly edged with white; mixed. Any of the above packets, 10c each; 3 for 25c.

**PIN CUSHION PLANT** (*Scabiosa*). Its name comes from the queer effect of the center of the flower which resembles a pin cushion. Effective in borders and beds. Fine for cutting. A great favorite with many customers.

1269—Black Prince. Very double, rich dark maroon. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1270—Snowball. Elegant white flowers. Sure to be wanted for vases and bouquets. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

1272—Peach Blossom. Large, double pink. Something new. Pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c.

1268—Tall German. Double, mixed, all colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

## Old-Fashioned Pinks

Well worth planting just for their delightful spicy fragrance alone, but in addition to their exquisite sweet scent they are very valuable for mass bloom, continuing until frost. The varieties classed as annuals are really biennials. They may be sown outdoors after danger of frost, and often they will survive the winter if given some protection. Stock flowered.

Early bloomers. Grow about a foot high and are very good for beds and borders. We have all colors of these carnation-like flowers.

### DOUBLE ANNUAL PINKS.

1106—Double Chinese. Compact plants with large double flowers of variegated colors. Pkt., 10c.

1107—Double Japanese. Much larger than the Chinese. Many bright colors. Pkt., 10c.

1108—Mourning Cloak. Very dark rich velvety crimson. Pkt., 15c.

1109—Snowball. Beautiful large, double white. Pkt., 15c.

1110—Violet Queen. Very rich violet. Pkt., 15c.

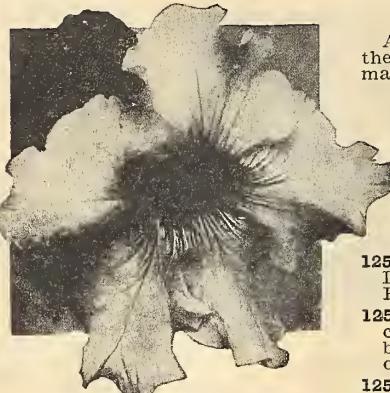
### SINGLE ANNUAL PINKS.

1112—Eastern Queen. Beautifully marbled rose and mauve flowers. Pkt., 10c.

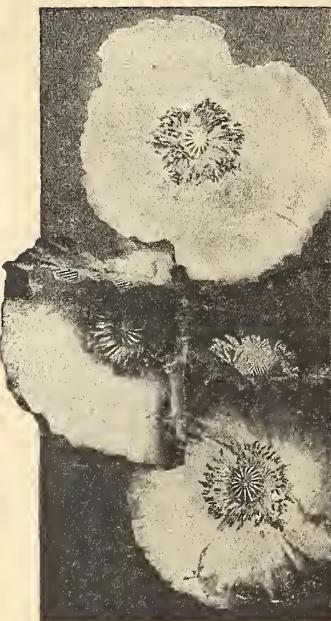
1113—Fireball. Brilliant scarlet. Pkt., 10c.

1114—Midnight. Blood-red. Pkt., 10c.

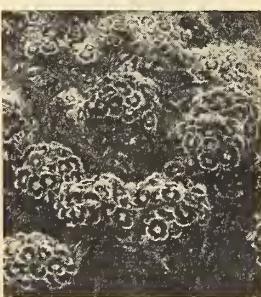
1115—Mixed. Mixed Single and Double. All colors. Pkt., 10c.



Giant Ruffled Petunia



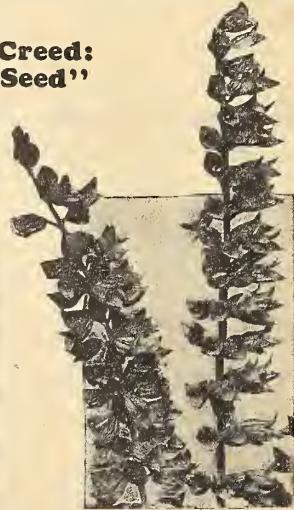
May's Poppies



Double Pinks



Snapdragon



Scarlet Sage

## May's Poppies

Annual Poppies should be sown as early in the Spring as possible, where they are to remain, as they do not stand transplanting. Sow very thinly. If they come up too thickly, they must be thinned to stand out 3 to 4 inches apart. It is well to make several sowings at intervals to keep up a succession of blooms. They are noted for their satiny flowers of silk-like texture in many brilliant color combinations.

1250—TULIP. One of the most brilliant flowers. 3 inches across. Black spots at base and at the petals. Single. Pkt., 10c.

1251—PEONY FLOWERED MIXTURE. Double, ball-shaped flowers of gigantic size. Pkt., 10c.

1252—SHIRLEY MIXED. Beautiful and delicate shades of rose, apricot, salmon-pink and blush to glowing crimson, with a sprinkling of blues. Pkt., 10c.

1253—WHITE SWAN. Fringed double white. Pkt., 10c.

1254—CARNATION FLOWERED MIXTURE OF DOUBLE POPPIES. Large size flowers of all shades. Many striped. Pkt., 10c.

1255—AMERICAN LEGION. A greatly improved English scarlet or Flanders Poppy. Very large flowers of dazzling orange-scarlet. Pkt., 10c.

1050—PRICKLY POPPY (Argemone). Grows 2 feet high. Ornamental foliage and large, handsome, poppy-like flowers, snowy white, filled in the center with golden stamens. Very beautiful. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

### ROSE MOSS (Portulaca).

Large Flowering Single, 6 inches. Forms masses of delicate green foliage covered with bright colored flowers somewhat resembling small roses. Will bloom profusely in hot dry situation. Easily transplanted.

1241—SINGLE, MIXED. 10c each; 3 for 25c.

1242—DOULE, MIXED. 100c each; 3 for 25c.

1010—SAND VERBENA (Abromia). Grows 6 inches tall. Sweet scented, trailing plants. Rosy lilac flowers borne in clusters. Pkt., 10c.

**SCARLET SAGE** (*Salvia*). The Salvia is an excellent bedding plant that keeps the garden bright with color until late Autumn. Also makes a good pot plant. Does well in window boxes and is useful for cutting. Its best use, however, is as a hedge or border plant for color effect.

1262—America or Globe of Fire. Continuous bloomer, uniform in habit of growth, which makes it particularly valuable for bedding or planting in lines. Pkt., 15c.

1265—Dwarf Pink. The plant is dwarf and erect; the foliage dark green. Flowers are beautiful tender rose passing to fresh coral-pink. Pkt., 25c.

1264—Maroon Prince. 2 feet. Particularly rich and royal color. A purple-violet with a velvety sheen. Pkt., 20c.

1180—SENSITIVE PLANT (Mimosa). A curious and pretty plant; pinkish white flowers. The leaves close and droop when touched or shaken. A great curiosity. Pkt., 10c.

1266—SMILAX. Desirable for window vines on account of its charming glossy green foliage. Sow seed in February and March. Keep in moist place. Pkt., 10c.

**SNAPDRAGON** (Antirrhinum). (Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) Snapdragons are very popular. Flowering from July to frost in a wide range of colors, they are ideal for garden or cut flowers. Dark, glossy leaves and beautiful spikes of flowers with finely marked throats. One of the most showy border plants. Semi-Tall Sorts. 18 to 20 inches.

1021—Amber Queen. Amber color. Pkt., 10c.

1022—Bonfire. Orange or flame color. Pkt., 10c.

1020—Empress. Scarlet with white throat. Pkt., 10c.

1023—Golden Queen. Rose-canary. Lip shaded orange. Pkt., 10c.

1024—Queen of the North. Large fragrant, white flowers. Nice for pot culture as well as borders. Pkt., 10c.

1025—Tall, Mixed. All sorts of red and yellow. Best for cutting. Pkt., 10c.

1026—Dwarf, Mixed. 8 inches high. Large variety of colors. Best for edging. Pkt., 10c.

1267—STATICE SINUATA. The best of the annual varieties. 18 inches. Fine for winter bouquets. Pkt., 10c.

1282—STOCKS. Early Ten Weeks. One of the most popular annuals, either for bedding or pot culture. Pkt., 10c.

## Beautiful Strawflowers Keep Their Color All Winter



Strawflower

**STRAWFLOWER** (*Helichrysum*). (Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) Everlasting hardy annual, 1½ feet. Flowers are round, flat but thick, very full, with short, incurved petals surrounding a depressed center. Their chief value is for Winter use in baskets and vases, dried, cut with long stems when about a third opened. Suspend bunch (heads down) in a cool, dry place until thoroughly dried. Pkt., 10c each.

- 1144 Silver Ball. Frost-white.
- 1145 Golden Ball. Golden-yellow.
- 1146 Rose Queen. Carmine-rose.
- 1147 Salmon Queen. Salmon-pink.
- 1148 Violet Queen. Violet.
- 1149 Mixed. All colors.

**1150 WINTER BOUQUET COLLECTION.** One pkt. each of the five named varieties for 40c, postpaid.

**1152—SULTANA** (*Impatiens*). Rosy carmine flowers one inch in diameter, produced freely throughout the season. Although a house plant, it does fine out of doors. 1½ feet. Pkt. 10c.

**SUNFLOWER.** Remarkable for the stately growth, size and brilliancy of their flowers, making a very good effect among shrubbery and for screens.

**1129—Dwarf Double.** 5 feet. Double dark yellow. Pkt., 5c.

**1130—Russian Mammoth** Single; of gigantic size. Pkt., 10c.

**SWEET SCENTED TOBACCO PLANT** (*Nicotiana*).

**1183—White Star.** This is the pure white form and is very popular. White, sweet scented, star-shaped flowers. Pkt., 10c.

**1184—Hybrid Mixed.** A great variety of colors and star-shaped flowers. If taken up in fall, cut back and potted, will bloom in house during winter. 2 to 3 feet. Pkt., 10c.

**TRUMPET FLOWER** (*Salpiglossis*) (Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) One of the finest and easiest cultured annuals, succeeding in any good soil and sunny position. Grows 2½ to 3 inches high. Splendid for cutting; lasting well.

**1257—Mixed colors.** 100 per pkt. 1258—Crimson. 10c per pkt.

**1259—Purple and Gold.** 10c pkt.

**1260—Scarlet and Gold.** 10c pkt.

**1261—White and Gold.** 10c pkt.

**VERBENA.** (Illustrated in color on Back Cover). A very popular garden annual. For beds and borders, and window boxes. Particularly fine as an under growth. for tall plants.

**1275—Alba.** Pure white. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

**1276—Mayflower.** A delicate pink; fragrant. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

**1277—Hybrid Blue.** Blue shades. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

**1278—Purple.** Purple shades. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

**1279—Scarlet.** Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

**1280—Choice Mixed.** All colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 for 25c.

**1281—VINCA (Periwinkle).** Splendid for house and bedding, with glossy leaves and circular flower. Mixed. Pkt., 10c.



Sweet Scented Tobacco Plant



Trumpet Flower



Verbena



Spencer Sweet Peas

## May's Supreme Sweet Peas

THESE are among the most beautiful and fragrant of flowers. They should be sown as soon as the ground can be worked in the Spring. The soil should be thoroughly mixed with a good fertilizer. I would advise using Bone Meal for this purpose. When the plants are well up, use wire or strings to support them. These flowers may also be sown late in the Fall, about the middle of November.

### Spencer Sweet Peas

**1306—FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.** Lavender. A soft, clear, rich lavender, enlivened by a faint sheen of rose-pink. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1307—HELEN LEWIS.** Orange rose wings and intense rich crimson-orange standard. An old favorite. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1308—ILLUMINATOR.** Cerise. Glowing cerise-salmon with bright orange. Under artificial light the flowers appear to be a glowing orange-scarlet. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1309—KING WHITE.** Large flowering. Glistening purity of the whiteness and the perfect finish of the flower make this one of the best. Truly gigantic; very free bloomer. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1310—MRS. TOM JONES.** Bright delphinium-blue. Flowers large; beautifully waved, usually four on a stem. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1312—MARY PICKFORD.** This wonderful new variety has pretty wavy petals of a dainty clear pink, faintly suffused salmon. A distinctly beautiful type. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1317—WARRIOR.** Maroon. Color is a rich reddish-maroon, flushed with bronze. Lovers of dark shades will appreciate this fine color. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.

**1325—SPENCER MIXED.** (Illustrated in color on Back Cover.) Mixed varieties. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 90c; lb., \$3.00.

### Five Supreme Spencers

This group is selected for the magnificent size of flowers and most attractive range of colors.

**1319—BLUE MONARCH.** Dark blue. A splendid new dark blue of large size and free bloomer. Very rich in color. Pkt., 15c; oz., 35c.

**1320—HERCULES.** Deep pink. A magnificent soft rose-pink, frequently measures 2½ inches in diameter. Pkt., 15c; oz., 35c.

**1321—KING EDWARD.** Deep rich crimson; a strong and beautiful color. Does not fade. Pkt., 15c; oz., 35c.

**1322—ROYAL PURPLE.** The color is a rich warm purple, the younger flowers having a slightly softer color tone. Pkt., 15c; oz., 35c.

**1323—VERMILION BRILLIANT.** Brilliant scarlet. The standard and wings are of an intense, pure scarlet color. Pkt., 15c; oz., 35c.

**1324—SUPREME SPENCER ASST.** One packet each of the five Supreme Spencers above for 65c; one ounce each of the five Supreme Spencers for \$1.50.

### Early Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas

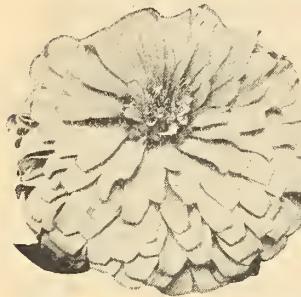
Here is something entirely new and different. This Early Flowering type blooms ten days to two weeks ahead of the regular Spencers. Plant some of these Early Flowering Spencers and enjoy these enormous frilly Sweet Peas just that much earlier in the season.

**1327—MIXED.** Fine mixture of colors. Pkt., 15c; oz., 35c.

### A Few Annuals Ideal for Cut Flowers

For cutting flowers, there is nothing finer than a bed of Snapdragons, Asters, Calendulas, Calliopsis, Bachelors Buttons, Cosmos, Pinks, Gaillardia, Lupines, Babys Breath, Trumpet Flower, Pin Cushion Flower, Sweet Sultan, Sweet Peas, Clarkia, Sweet William and African Marigolds.

## May's Giant Dahlia-Flowered Double Zinnias



**T**HIS special strain of Zinnias is as large as a perfect Decorative Dahlia. The flowers are of immense size, from 5 to 6 inches across and are made up of a great number of small sized petals. These fine Zinnias are continuous and free flowering, have a wonderful range of rich color and flower early in Summer and keep on until hard frost. (See illustration in color on Back Cover.)

**1285—GOLDEN WEST.** A fine shade of yellow. The flowers are perfectly double and always the largest size. Pkt., 15c.

**1286—VESUVIUS.** A rich shade of light purple, very striking shade; large flowers; a rare variety. Pkt., 15c.

**1287—DAYBREAK.** Orange-scarlet, very attractive bright color. Pkt., 15c.

**1288—GLORIA.** Reddish rose with a little deeper rose in the center. Pkt., 15c.

**1289—ENCHANTRESS.** A rich shade of red; very double flowers, immense size. Pkt., 15c.

**1290—SENSATION.** An attractive shade of crimson-scarlet. Blooms perfect form. Pkt., 15c.

**1291—DAHLIA FLOWERED ASST—6 Kinds.** One packet each of the above six Giant Dahlia-flowered Double Varieties for 75c, postpaid.

### Double Flowered Zinnias

**1292—APPLE BLOSSOM.** Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

**1293—BURNt ORANGE.** Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c.

## Annual Climbers

**1331—BALLOON VINE** (Love-in-a-Puff). A rapid grower with fine white flowers, followed by inflated seed pods resembling small balloons. Height, 10 ft. Pkt., 10c.

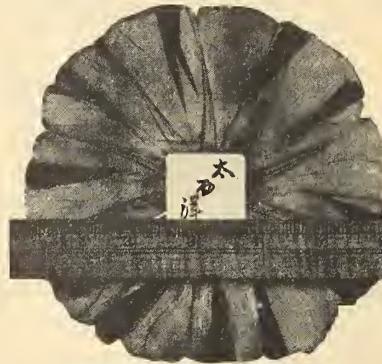
**1332—BALSAM APPLE AND PEAR.** Very rapid and dense climbers with golden yellow fruit, which opens when ripe, showing the seed and blood-red inside. Mixed. Pkt., 10c.

**1334—CARDINAL CLIMBER.** We consider this a most beautiful and distinct annual climber and rapid grower, attaining a height of twenty feet or more, with beautiful, deeply cut leaves, not unlike some of the Japanese Maples, and is literally covered with a haze of circular, fiery, cardinal-red flowers from mid-July to frost. Pkt., 10c.

**1335—CUP AND SAUCER VINE** (Cobea Scandens). Mixed colors. 1 1/2 inch flowers shaped like Morning Glories. Vine reaches a height of 20 to 30 feet and blooms from midsummer till frost. The deeply cut leaves are very decorative. Pkt., 10c.

**1343—CYPRESS VINE.** A beautiful climber with a profusion of scarlet, or white, star-shaped blossoms and fern-like foliage, adapted to ornamental work. Pkt., 10c.

**1333—MOONFLOWER** (Night-blooming). One of the most vigorous climbers. Will grow thirty feet; its large, waxy white flowers open evenings and cloudy days. Seed should be scarified and planted in warm, rich ground. Keep soil moist. Pkt., 10c.



Sakata Giant Morning Glory

**1302—MIXED COLORS.** This is a mixture of Red, Yellow, Orange, Purple and Rose. Large pkt., 25c.

**1342—PASSION FLOWER.** One of the best Summer vines for general growing. The beautiful blue flowers somewhat resemble a water lily in shape. Pkt., 10c.

**1336—SCARLET RUNNER BEAN.** An old favorite; strong grower. Grown for ornamental purposes, though they are edible. Scarlet flowers; blooms freely. Pkt., 5c.

### Sakata's Imperial Giant Flowering Morning Glory

As a result of our careful and painstaking selection, extending over a period of many years, we are now able to offer our wonderful Japanese Imperial Giant Morning Glory seed, sold under the name of **Sakata's Extra Large Flowering Morning Glory**.

The average individual flowers measure from 5 to 6 inches across, sometimes even making a span of 7 in., see illustration to the left. They also have a vast range of many beautiful and striking colors and they are often striped and margined in all shades. The flowers are also often slightly fringed, which, of course, adds very materially to their beauty.

**1346—SAKATA'S IMPERIAL GIANT FLOWERING MORNING GLORY.** One of the most important and striking novelties yet introduced, and recommended very highly for every home gardener and lover of beautiful flowers. It will not only surprise you, but please you immensely. Pkt., 15c each; 2 for 25c.



## Hardy Perennial Flower Seeds

**1501—AQUILEGIA or COLUMBINE.** Mixed. Hardy and easily grown from seed. Columbine may be sown in the early Spring and will usually bloom the same season, or, planted in the fall, will bloom abundantly the following Summer or Fall. Pkt., 25c.

**1502—PERENNIAL SWEET PEA.** Similar to the annual Sweet Pea except flowers are more wax-like in appearance. Large flowers. Mixed. Pkt., 20c.

**1503—COREOPSIS.** One of the finest of hardy plants, with large showy, yellow flowers, produced in great abundance from June until frost. Flowers the first year if sown early. Pkt., 25c.

**1504—GAILLARDIA, GRANDIFLORA.** (Perennial Blanket Flower). Should be in every garden. Flowers in all shades—yellow, orange, and red, with bright yellow borders. Pkt., 20c.

**1505—ORIENTAL POPPY.** A charming Summer flowering hardy, plant. Grows about 2 1/2 feet tall with large orange-scarlet flower, with a conspicuous black blotch on each petal. Pkt., 20c.

**1506—SHASTA DAISY.** A splendid hardy perennial daisy of purest white. Broad overlapping petals, borne on long, strong stems. Fine for cut flowers. Pkt., 25c.

**1507—PYRETHRUM** (Painted Daisy). Very valuable for cut flowers. Blooms at intervals throughout the summer. Pkt., 25c.

**1508—DELPHINIUM, ENGLISH HYBRIDS.** A strain of our own origination excelling anything I have ever seen in the way of Delphiniums. All shades and colors. Pkt., 25c.

**1509—DELPHINIUM, BELLADONNA.** Flowers will be clear, light blue, set rather loosely on the stem. Branching habit of growth. Pkt., 20c.

**1510—DELPHINIUM, BELLAMOSA.** Like Belladonna except a darker shade of blue. Pkt., 20c.

**1511—HOLLYHOCK.** All colors. Mixed, single and double. Fine for background or screen. Can be used for cut flowers. Pkt., 20c.

**1512—SWEET WILLIAM.** An old favorite—needs no introduction. Our mixture contains the very finest shades and colors. Pkt., 20c.

**1513—GYPSOPHILA, PANICULATA** (Baby's Breath). Tiny white flowers on branching stems, producing a veil-like mist over the plants. Can be dried for winter bouquets. Pkt., 20c.

**1514—MAY'S PERENNIAL COLLECTION.** One packet each of the above 13 varieties for \$1.50, postpaid.



# MAY'S VEGETABLE SEEDS

## May's Seeds Give Best Results

GROW your vegetables, don't buy them. Your garden will furnish you with lots of good fresh vegetables, and at the same time will be very profitable. It gives the children something to do, too—let them help cultivate.

### Big Full Packets—Seeds That Grow

We are seed headquarters. We have developed the garden seed business so that now we are rendering a real service to all our friends who have gardens—even those who have a space no more than ten feet square. For the larger gardens, plant in long, straight rows far enough apart to cultivate with a team or hand cultivator. Every time you hitch up the team to plow corn, go through the garden and give it a good stirring. It takes only a few minutes and it keeps down the weeds.

For the average garden, my Special Garden Seed Collection I am offering at \$1.95 postpaid, provides a complete assortment for home planting. You save about 20% by buying this collection.

### Asparagus Seeds and Roots



Asparagus requires very little space for growing. A space about 6 feet wide and 50 feet long will be sufficient for 100 of our two-year-old roots—just the right amount for ordinary requirements.

**Culture.** Dig a trench 1½ feet deep and 1 foot wide, fill in 4 inches with well-rooted manure and on top of this, 5 inches of good, rich soil. Then lay the roots in about 8 inches apart, taking care to spread well, having the crown in an upright position. Cover to within 4 inches of the top of the trench and as the plants grow, gradually fill the trench to the surface. Rows 18 inches apart.

**205—NEW WASHINGTON RUST PROOF.** The best in Asparagus; it is a rust resistant strain. My stock is of the highest yielding plants. If you want a choice bed of Asparagus, try this New Washington. 2-yr.-old giant roots, 45¢ per 10; \$1.00 per 25; \$3.00 per 100. 1-yr., 30¢ per 10; 60¢ per 25; \$2.00 per 100. Seed, pkt., 10¢; oz., 15¢; ¼ lb., 50¢. Both roots and seed postpaid.

## Beans

### Dwarf or Bush Beans

One pound will plant 100 feet of drill; 90 pounds of seed per acre.

We offer Beans and Peas by the half pound and pound instead of by the pint and quart. 15 lbs. equal one peck; 60 lbs. equal one bushel; ½ lb. equals about ½ pint; 1 lb. equals about 1 pint; 2 lbs. equal about 1 quart.

**Culture;** Plant as soon as danger of frost is over; placing the seed 2 to 3 inches apart and about 2½ inches deep. The rows should be 2 feet apart. Keep the Pods from touching the ground. Most Beans should be picked when about 4 inches long. Frequent pickings insure a more prolonged bearing season. Avoid jerking the plant, as this frequently disturbs young feeding roots. Do not pick when bushes are wet as this may cause blight and rust. In green podded sorts, Giant Stringless and May's Perfection are the leaders.

### Green Pod Bush Beans



May's Perfection

**101—GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD.** (40 days.) This Bean remains among the very best, first, early, round podded Bush Beans; a very free bearer and entirely stringless; averages 5 inches long; slightly curved. Stands dry weather well. Pkt., 10¢; ½ lb., 30¢; lb., 50¢; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

**102—BURPEE'S NEW STRINGLESS.** (42 days.) Very early hardy. Pods are a dark green, tender and absolutely stringless. Pkt., 10¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 45¢; 3 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

**103—IMPROVED RED VALENTINE.** (45 days.) This variety is valuable, because it remains on the bush a long time, without becoming tough and hard. Pods very fleshy, round and saddle back, with slight strings. Bushes grow uniformly, about 15 inches in height and produce a large crop. Pkt., 5¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 45¢; 3 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

**107—MAY'S PERFECTION.** One of the latest Beans; the pods are nearly round, light green, 5 inches long, fleshy, brittle, mild in flavor, but without strings. Pkt., 10¢; ½ lb., 30¢; lb., 50¢; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.



A Vegetable Garden Made With May's Seed Will Surely Give Satisfaction

### Dwarf or Bush Wax-Podded Beans

One pound will plant 100 feet of drill; 90 pounds of seed per acre.

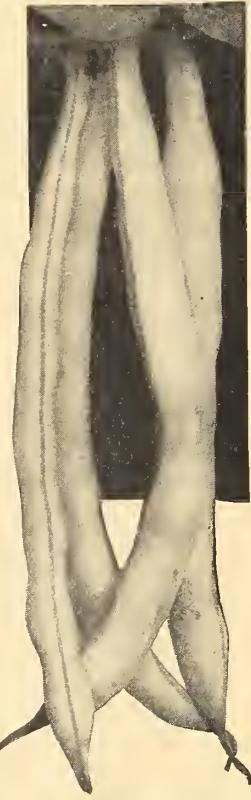
**125—MAY'S EARLY WONDER WAX.** (35 days.) Flat podded variety, grows a strong plant, 18 inches high and 2 feet across, is well loaded with pods 5 to 7 inches long and clear waxy yellow color. The pods are tender, brittle and of fine texture. We claim this is the earliest wax podded Bean, practically rust-proof and bountiful, continuous yielder. Ready to pick in 35 days. Pkt., 10¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 45¢; 3 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

**126—IMPROVED RUST-PROOF GOLDEN WAX.** (42 days.) Practically Rust-Proof. Although this is not the earliest dwarf Wax Bean, yet it is sure to produce heavy crops. The pods are of large size, very thick and fleshy, yields well on practically all soils. Pkt., 10¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 45¢; 3 lbs., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

**127—BRITTLE WAX.** (40 days.) One of the earliest of all Wax Beans, great cropper, stringless, extremely prolific, pods often measuring 4½ to 6 inches long. They are broad and solid, tender, brittle and entirely stringless at all stages of growth. Pods have white seeds showing only a small black dot at the eye. Pkt., 10¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 45¢; 3 lbs., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

**128—IMPROVED BLACK WAX.** (40 days.) The pods are round and they are yielded in large quantities, early, very meaty and tender. Seed black. Pkt., 5¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 40¢; 3 lbs., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid.

**129—SURE CROP STRINGLESS WAX.** (43 days.) Stringless, rust-proof, yellow pods, averaging 6 to 7 inches in length, heavy yielder. Pkt., 5¢; ½ lb., 25¢; lb., 45¢; 3 lbs., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.



May's Early Wonder Wax

### Farm Beans

**108—HARVEST HOME.** Snowy white variety of uniform small size. Plants grow upright and bear the pods well off the ground. A farm Bean of which a large acreage is grown. Pkt., 5¢; ½ lb., 20¢; lb., 35¢; 3 lbs., 90¢; 5 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid.

**109—RED KIDNEY BEANS.** One of the very best of the dry shell beans; hardy and vigorous grower, heavy yielder. Pkt., 5¢; ½ lb., 20¢; lb., 35¢; 3 lbs., 90¢; 5 lbs., \$1.35, postpaid.

### GARDEN SEED COLLECTION

Here is an assortment of garden seed that will give you a wide choice of fine fresh vegetables. Turn to the colored illustration on the back cover and see all the varieties that are included. This is a real value in good seeds. One packet of Sakata's Giant Morning Glory Seed included free. Collection of 18 large pkts. complete Postpaid.

\$1.95

Burpee's  
Bush Lima**Dwarf Bush Lima Beans**

One pound will plant 40 feet of drill.

**Culture.** Sow before danger of frost is over. Sow in rows, 2 feet apart, 3 inches deep; beans 2 inches apart in the row EYE DOWN. Later thin so plants stand 6 to 8 inches apart.

**112—FORDHOOK.** An improved form of the popular Challenger or Potato Lima. Big pods and large beans. Pods measure 4 to 5 inches. Dependable yielder for the middle west. Fine beans of the finest flavor. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30c; lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.35; 5 lbs., \$2.15, postpaid.

**114—BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH LIMA.** Vigorous, large size, the single Beans of Burpee's Improved, large and of better quality than the original Burpee's Bush Lima. An immense yielder. The pods are 5 to 6 inches long. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.95, postpaid.

**115—HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA or BABY LIMA.** Both pods and Beans are small but in large quantities. The standard Lima for canning. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.95, postpaid.

**FOR BEANS**

Every garden needs NITRAGIN. Garden size for peas, sweet peas and beans, including Lima (3-in-1 inoculant). Price .....

**25c****MAY'S BEETS**One Ounce Will Sow 75 Feet of Drill;  
5 to 6 Pounds to the Acre

**Culture.** The seed should be sown as early as the ground is not frozen; the ground should be spaded well and deep, placing the rows 18 inches apart and plant 1 inch apart in the row. Plant in rich soil. Cover the seed carefully and firm in the ground by walking over the drills. When seedlings appear about 3 inches above the ground, thin out to 4 inches between the plants. Beets are best for pulling when about 2 inches in diameter. Swiss Chard is a variety of Beet grown for its leaves.

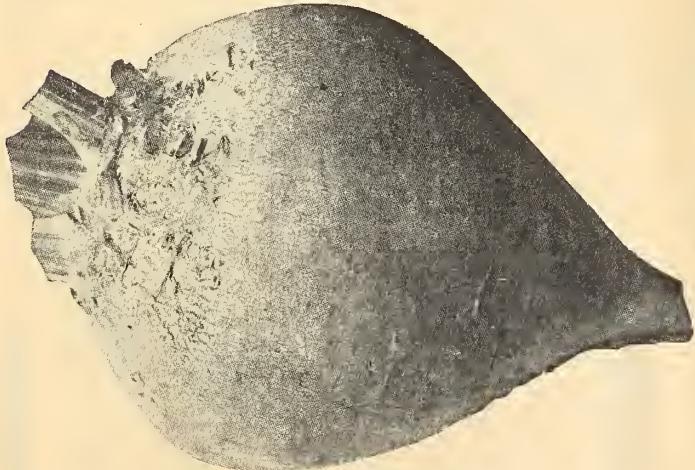
**204—IMPROVED EARLY BLOOD TURNIP.** (50 days.) This is a splendid early Beet of extra fine quality, and the color is rich, dark red. It always cooks and cuts a rich, dark blood red. It is tender, sweet and crisp and a standard sort for home use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

**205—DETROIT DARK RED.** (45 days.) One of the best main crop, all-purpose Beets in cultivation. For the home garden it is especially desirable on account of its high quality, being sweet, tender and fine grained without any trace of woodiness. Rich, dark red color. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**206—MAY'S EARLY WONDER BEET.** The earliest beet I know of. Beautiful dark red of very fine flavor and fine texture, very attractive and a good market variety. Does not get tough, nor large. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.45, postpaid.

**208—LONG DARK BLOOD.** (65 days.) A very dark red; stands dry weather better than any other Beet, and keeps the longest. Tapering roots of excellent quality; retains original dark red color when cooked. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

**210—SWISS CHARD.** Constant crop from July until Winter. Leaves used for greens same as spinach. Sow early in the Spring in rows 16 inches apart and thin to 6 inches apart in the rows. Can be used all Summer when spinach is not available. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.



Improved Early Blood Turnip

**Pole Lima Beans**

One pound will plant 50 hills.

**Culture.** Put 6 seeds in each hill; hills 3 feet apart each way. Require a pole 7 feet high. When vines reach top, pinch them to increase the yield.

**120—EARLY LEVIATHAN.** Earliest variety of the Pole Limas. Pods straight, long and borne in clusters. A splendid variety where the season is short. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.95, postpaid.

**121—LARGE LIMA BUTTER POLE BEAN.** (70 days.) Pods are in clusters, 5 inches long; broad and very thin, medium green. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.95, postpaid.

**Pole or Running Beans**

One pound will plant 200 hills.

Golden Kentucky  
Wonder

Much more productive than bush varieties and bearing season is longer, though they require a little more care in handling.

**135—OLD HOMESTEAD or KENTUCKY WONDER GREEN.** (65 days.) An improved variety. Pods stringless and of silvery green color, in large clusters from top to bottom of pole. Pods 9 to 10 inches long. Seed brown in color. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

**137—GOLDEN KENTUCKY WONDER.** (60 days.) Quicker to yield than most others. Long, golden yellow pods; meaty, brittle, and good flavor. Seeds medium sized, very regular, somewhat shriveled and dark brown. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

**138—LAZY WIFE.** Green pod, the best late green pod Pole Bean. Pods medium dark green, broad, thick, very fleshy, entirely stringless. Heavy yielder. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 3 lbs., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.



Crimson Globe Beets

**207—CRIMSON GLOBE.** (45 days.) Of fine shape, with a smooth and attractive dark red skin and small tap root. The interior is a rich deep crimson and fine grained in texture. Flesh is sweet, tender and never stringy. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c; lb., 95c, postpaid.

**Stock Beets or Mangels**

All live stock greatly relish Mangel Beets. Very high in feeding value.

**Culture.** Mangels require deep, well enriched soil. Sow in May or June in rows 18 inches to 2 feet apart and 6 to 8 inches in the row. Young plants may be transplanted to fill up vacancies. As soon as frost occurs, dig the crop. For Winter, store in cellar or in pits. Sow 5 to 6 pounds per acre.

**216—MAMMOTH LONG RED.** (150 days.) This variety will yield more tons per acre than any other. It grows to an immense size, is enormously productive and profitable if grown on rich soil; an excellent keeper. Oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 40c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid.

**218—GOLDEN TANKARD MANGEL.** (140 days.) Deep yellow in color, oval in shape and sets entirely on top of the ground. Heavy yielder and the best yellow variety. Oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35c; lb., 65c; 5 lbs., \$2.75, postpaid.

**220—GIANT HALF-SUGAR ROSE.** (140 days.) Roots of this variety are green above the ground and rose color below. Very valuable for feeding purposes. Oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 40c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid.

**THESE SEEDS GREW INTO PRIZE WINNERS**

"I am writing to thank you for the returns we received from the Early Bird Radish Seed we received from you last fall. A cluster of these radishes grown from your seed took first prize at our Annual Fair this year. The first prize was one dollar, and they carried home the first prize. I will plan on Radish Seed next spring from the Earl E. May Seed Company."

Mr. & Mrs. Edw. Surring, Wayburn, Sask., Canada

# CABBAGE

**Culture.** Sow early kinds in hotbeds in February and early March and in the ground during April and May. Late varieties for Fall or Winter use should also be sown in May. Early sorts may be planted in rows 2 feet apart with 20 inches between the plants in the rows. Late kinds should stand at least 2 feet each way.

Cabbage requires a deep, rich, loamy soil, but should it be too rich, some late kinds may show signs of bursting. If this occurs, push the plants over to one side to check their growth. Dust with Slug Shot while dew is on, if worms appear, or use "Evergreen." (See page 20.)

## Extra Early Varieties

**232—NEW COPENHAGEN MARKET.** (60 days.) The best, main crop round-head Cabbage on the market; heads large and solid and excellent quality. Stands longer in the field without bursting than any other variety. If you are troubled with cabbage yellows, use Iacope in place of this variety. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c; oz., 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

**233—GOLDEN ACRE.** (42 days.) The earliest variety of cabbage. Quality excellent. A week earlier than Early Jersey Wakefield; heads very solid and round; weight 4 to 5 lbs. We offer the genuine strain. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 35c; oz., 60c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.00, postpaid.

**234—IMPROVED EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.** (55 days.) Very early, solid and good old reliable variety. Heads cone-shaped and one of the surest heading. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 85c, postpaid.

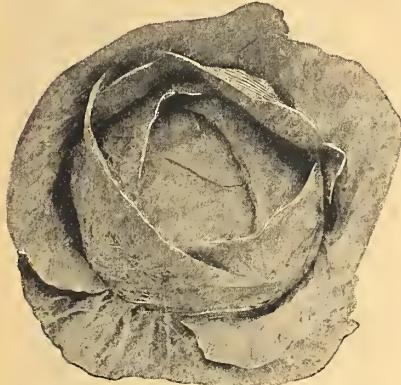
**236—CHARLESTON OR LARGE TYPE WAKEFIELD.** (62 days.) Produces larger heads than Early Jersey Wakefield but is a week later in maturing; a heavy yielder of fine quality. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 85c, postpaid.

### EARLY FLAT AND ROUND HEAD VARIETIES

**238—ALL SEASONS** (Vandergraw). One of the best second-early or late; growing to a large size quickly. The heads are extremely hard and solid, round, flattened at the top. It is called All Seasons because it is good for Autumn as well as early summer. Very desirable for kraut. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75c, postpaid.

**240—ALLHEAD EARLY or FAULTLESS.** (100 days.) Allhead Early is an early, flat-head variety, a sure header and very uniform in color, form and size. The heads grow very free from spreading leaves. Makes a fine Winter Cabbage if sown late. Fine for Kraut. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75c, postpaid.

**242—EARLY DRUMHEAD or HOLLANDER.** (100 days.) Stands dry weather well. Very hardy, compact, flat heads; one of the best for home use. An old reliable variety known by all. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 85c, postpaid.



Premium Late Flat Dutch Cabbage

## CELER

One ounce will produce 3,000 plants.

**Culture.** Sow seed in cold frame soon as soil can be worked in drills 8 to 10 inches apart. Cover lightly as possible. When fourth leaves form, transplant or thin seedlings to four inches apart in rows. Early in June transplant to open, eight inches apart each way, in beds about 6 ft. wide. Blanch by heaping soil about outer plants, or placing 12 inch boards around the bed. Foliage will bleach plants in bed. Be sure soil is rich. Keep up cultivation and provide plenty of moisture. If protected against freezing and moisture, celery may be kept over winter in beds, providing winter is not too severe.

**272—GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING.** (110 days.) The most popular variety. Easily grown. Good shipper and of high quality. Golden yellow in color and excels all other varieties. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30c; oz., 50c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.60, postpaid.

**274—IMPROVED WHITE PLUME.** (130 days.) Of the white varieties, this is recognized as the best. Very crisp and tender, and a vigorous grower. Stalks are uniformly white and large size. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c; oz., 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.10, postpaid.

**276—GIANT PASCAL.** (140 days.) It blanches very easily and quickly. The heart is golden yellow. It is a selection from Golden Self Blanching, and possesses many of the qualities of that strain. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c; oz., 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.10, postpaid.



Golden Self-Blanching



New Copenhagen Market



Golden Acre Cabbage Sliced to show solid head

## Late or Winter Varieties

**244—DANISH BALLHEAD.** (115 days.) May's True Danish Ballhead is one of the finest quality Cabbages known. A heavy, solid, long-keeping variety. Very few outer leaves, medium size and very fine grained. Danish Ballhead is the surest growing, heading, keeping and shipping variety. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c; oz., 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**252—LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD.** (110 days.) Heads are large and compact; heads can be kept in good condition until Spring. One of the best Winter varieties. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75c, postpaid.

## Iacope Cabbage Seed

**250—PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH.** (120 days.) Heads are flat on top, solid and large. Cuts white and crisp; flavor excellent, no stringiness; splendid keeper, good for Fall and Winter. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75c, postpaid.

**256—SUREHEAD.** (110 days.) Heads are very uniform in shape, of the Flat Dutch type. Ordinarily range from 10 to 15 pounds each. Drought resisting, certain to head. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c; oz., 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 75c, postpaid.

**257—MAMMOTH RED ROCK.** (120 days.) The large, red, pickling sort, heads often weigh 12 lbs. Round, very solid and deep red color. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c; oz., 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

## Chinese Cabbage

For proper and successful raising, Pe-Tsai should have cool weather. Sow the seed thin in rows and thin the plants to about a foot apart.

**260—PE-TSAI.** A wonderful new salad plant, not hard to grow and resembles Celery. Best crops are grown from July-August sowing. Firm, crisp head, easily blanched. A long keeper; excellent cooked with greens. Also cooked same as Cabbage. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c; oz., 35c, postpaid.



## Endive

An ounce sows 200 feet of drill.

One of the best Autumn and Winter salads, especially refreshing when served as lettuce with plain French dressing. Sow seed from the middle of June to the last of August. When plants are fully grown, tie all the outside leaves together over the heart and blanch the inner leaves which will take about a week. Don't tie when leaves are wet as this will cause them to decay.

**282—GREEN CURLED ROSE RIBBED.** Leaves large and broad, well rounded heads. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c, postpaid.

**284—DWARF WINTER CURLED.** Compact with large, deep green leaves curled and crimped. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c, postpaid.



Chantenay

## Carrots

One ounce will sow  
100 feet of drill.

**Culture.** Land should be thoroughly manured the previous season. Forked roots result if seed is sown on freshly manured or poorly prepared ground. Sow early sorts in March and April, one inch deep and rows 14 inches apart. Sow main crops in May or beginning of June. See that soil is firm over seed, either by feet, roller or garden drill. Store in pits or boxes of sand in basement for winter use.

**301—OXHEART.** (80 days.) A favorite for home garden. Early, thick Carrot; deep orange color. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

**302—SELECTED CHANTENAY.** (65 days.) A first class table variety. Stump-rooted and about 5 to 6 inches long. Rich orange color and a splendid keeper. Fine variety to grow for Winter use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**304—HALF-LONG SCARLET NANTES.** (70 days.) Half-long variety with small tap root, 6 inches long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**306—DANVERS HALF-LONG.** (80 days.) Half-long Carrot; very productive. Roots 6 to 8 inches long; color deep orange. Good variety for Winter use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.40, postpaid.

## Carrots for Stock Feeding

Valuable for feeding stock; and easily grown. Sow seed in drills 3 feet apart, using about 4 pounds per acre. Large yield from small piece of ground.

**308—LARGE VICTORIA.** Largest and best feeding Carrot of the yellow varieties. Roots are very large and thick. Color is orange-red. Oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$4.25.

**310—LARGE WHITE BELGIAN.** Roots pure white. Grows one-third out of the ground. Green above the ground. Small tops, coarse flesh. Oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15; 5 lbs., \$4.65, postpaid.

## Cauliflower

One ounce will produce  
about 3000 plants.

**Culture.** Sow the first week in May, transplant in July. For wintering under glass, sow in the second and last weeks of September. Transplant thickly in February in the hotbed and transplant in April. Select new ground if possible. Plant in rows 2 feet apart and 20 inches apart in the rows. To be successful with this vegetable, rich soil and abundant moisture at all stages of development are absolutely essential. Cauliflower does not form solid heads in hot, dry climates.

**330—MAY'S EARLY SNOWBALL.** The earliest and surest heading Cauliflower grown. No variety produces more deep solid heads and of such pure snowy whiteness as the Snowball. Extremely hardy. Pkt., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., \$1.25; oz., \$2.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$7.50, postpaid.

**332—DANISH GIANT.** It is especially adapted to dry situations and to resist drought. Forms pure white, solid heads, and seed is Denmark grown. Pkt., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., \$1.25; oz., \$2.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$7.50, postpaid.

## SWEET CORN

One pound will plant 200 feet  
of drill or 200 to 300 hills.

Plant for succession of crop every 3 weeks from April to July in hills 3 feet apart each way and 6 seeds in a hill, cover about a half an inch and thin out to 3 plants. Don't forget the main varieties such as Early Golden Sunshine, Stowell's Evergreen and Country Gentleman.

**141—ADAMS' EXTRA EARLY.** (68 days.) A fine quality Sweet Corn; exceptionally early. Can be planted early, as it will stand some frost. Ears tender and sweet. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; lb., 30c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.25, postpaid.

**142—EARLY MAYFLOWER.** This is the earliest Sweet Corn of good size. White cob and kernels. Larger than Adams and a trifle earlier. I am sure that you will be pleased with this new variety of Sweet Corn. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 65c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid.

**144—GOLDEN BANTAM.** Golden Bantam is the sweetest and choicest of all Sweet Corn. The ears grow 5 to 6 inches long, just a handy size to be eaten from the cob. The golden yellow kernels are broad, deep and exceptionally meaty. They have a thin, tender skin. Our special stock is selected and unexcelled, and the seed comes from growers who specialize in growing Golden Bantam, and not the remnants of a commercial crop. Our growers specialize in Sweet Corn exclusively. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.40, postpaid.

**146—EARLY GOLDEN SUNSHINE.** (65 days.) Larger and a week earlier than Golden Bantam; kernels broad and heavy, exceptionally well flavored. Ears 7 inches long and about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick. If you have never tasted Early Sunshine you cannot fully appreciate good Sweet Corn. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65, postpaid.

**148—GOLDEN EVERGREEN.** Combines flavor and color of Golden Bantam with the fine qualities of Stowell's Evergreen. Main crop. Very productive, large ears; fine flavor. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; 1 lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 65c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid.

**152—COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.** (Shoe Peg.) (82 days.) Extremely productive, small cob, densely covered with irregular rows of long, slender grains. The milky kernels are plump, pearly white and tender. Ears average 8 to 9 inches in length, and very prolific. Will average 2 to 3 ears to a stalk. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.35, postpaid.

**154—STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.** (85 days.) Standard main crop variety for market and home use. Very productive; ears 8 inches long; fine flavor; and keeps a long time in cooking condition. Pkt., 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 2 lbs., 55c; 5 lbs., \$1.25, postpaid.

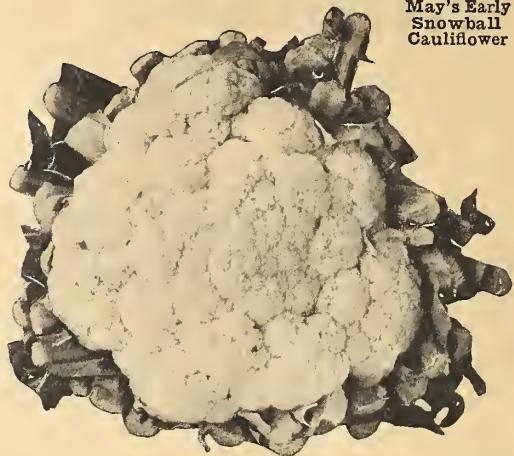


Early Sunshine

## Pop Corn Selected For Seed

**155—BABY GOLDEN.** Very small ears, averaging about 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in length. Stalks grow 3 to 4 feet high and 2 to 3 ears to the stalk. One of the best for popping, being free from hulls and very tender. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 4 lbs., \$1.25, postpaid.

**156—JAPANESE HULL-LESS.** Without doubt the best Pop Corn for popping. The kernels are similar to the best strains of White Rice but a little longer; white in color. It surely is a wonder when it comes to popping; fine flavor and absence of hull or shell. All commercial Corn poppers prefer this variety. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; lb., 35c; 4 lbs., \$1.25, postpaid.

May's Early  
Snowball  
Cauliflower

Stowell's Evergreen

## Gather Sweet Corn Daily from June to October

These varieties will ripen one after another.

MAY'S ALL SUMMER CORN COLLECTION NUMBER 1	
$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Golden Bantam.....	\$0.20
$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Stowell's Evergreen....	.20
$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Country Gentleman....	.20

Regular Catalog Price..... \$0.60  
Special Collection Offer..... **50c**

MAY'S ALL SUMMER CORN COLLECTION NUMBER 2	
1 lb. Golden Bantam.....	\$0.35
1 lb. Stowell's Evergreen....	.35
1 lb. Country Gentleman....	.35

Regular Catalog Price..... \$1.05  
Special Collection Offer..... **80c**

# Cucumbers

## For Slicing and Pickles

One Ounce Will Plant About 50 Hills

**Culture.** First planting should be early in May. For pickles, plant during last two weeks in June. The yellow striped Cucumber beetle is the most serious insect enemy; "Evergreen" (page 20) is the best remedy. In dusting vines, use Slug Shot listed on page 20.

**352—MAY'S WHITE.** Something new and different. White skin, white flesh, almost seedless. Fine for slicing and pickling. I have tested this variety on my May View Trial Grounds several years and have found it to be a heavy yielder of Cucumbers of the very best quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60c, postpaid.

**354—STAYS GREEN.** Stays Green, and is earliest of White Spine type; fruit 7 to 8 inches long, cylindrical in shape. Dark green from stem to blossom end, retained longer than any variety. Vigorous grower; enormous yield; shipping quality unexcelled, and always commands highest market price. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**357—BOSTON PICKLING CUCUMBER.** A very prolific variety widely used for pickles. Fully developed fruits average 4-5 inches and on account of their fine quality are quite often used for slicing, but are used generally for medium sized pickles; also known as extra early Green Prolific. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

**358—MAY'S SELECT PICKLE.** (65 days.) By far the best pickle I ever raised. Long, even and slim; rich, dark green color. Very productive and uniform shape. Mighty good for pickling, and excellent for slicing. A heavy yielder. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50c; lb., \$1.40, postpaid.

**355—DAVIS PERFECTION.** (60 days.) Fruits medium to large; very even. Color, dark green; flesh thick and tender. Small seed cavity, making it extra fine for slicing. Vines vigorous and bear over a long period. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50c; lb., \$1.40, postpaid.



May's Select Pickle

## EGG PLANT

## LETUCE

One ounce will produce about 1000 plants.



Egg Plant

**Culture.** Sow during March in a warm hotbed in light, rich soil. Transplant or thin so that the young plants stand 3 inches each way. Also keep the young plants warm and do not plant out until settled, warm weather has arrived. They need to stand 2 feet apart each way to be planted outside.

**292—NEW YORK IMPROVED PURPLE.** (Spineless). A standard sort both North and South. A very large size, fine quality and productive. Fruits oval; color a splendid dark purple. Ready

for table in 145 days. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c; oz., 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

**294—BLACK BEAUTY.** Very early; average weight 2 to 3 pounds. Dwarf growing. Pkt., 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c; oz., 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

### How Is This for Returns from a Seed Purchase?

"Dear Mr. May:-

Last spring we ordered your garden seed collection for \$1.95. It was really astonishing how those seeds grew and produced. We never had peas to bear like those "Fillbasket" did. We had all we could use through the summer, and the surplus we canned for winter use. They are surely true to their name, and with such large well filled pods it does not take long to prepare them. As for quality, they cannot be beat; so delicious, sweet and tender. The beets, beans, carrots and etc. did fine too. When we dug the parsnips we had so many we could not use all of them, so we sold five and one half bushels of them which brought us \$10.40 and we had about two and one half bushels to use and also gave some to our friends."

Miss Agnes Englert, Ingalls, Kansas.

**May's Improved Long Green**

**372—MAY'S IMPROVED LONG GREEN CUCUMBER.** We had one Cucumber measuring 15 inches long, 11 inches around and held a guessing contest over KMA as to how many seeds it contained. Dark green in color and fine for both slicing and pickling. Young Cucumbers make very fine pickles. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

**374—EVERBEARING.** (65 days.) Fruits are medium size, rich, dark green color, average from 4 to 5 inches in length. Will continue bearing throughout the season. An excellent variety for producing pickles. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**376—EARLY FORTUNE.** (52 days.) Fruits 7 to 8 inches long, slightly tapering; flesh white; very firm and solid. This plant is very hardy, notwithstanding blight remarkably well. Very productive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.40, postpaid.

**378—IMPROVED CHICAGO PICKLING.** (68 days.) Fruits are of uniform size and good color. Medium size. Used almost exclusively by all pickling houses. Very heavy bearer. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**382—JAPANESE CLIMBING.** A creeping or climbing variety, while other Cucumbers are running vines. Climbs very rapidly on poles or trellises. Cucumbers are thick, tender; flesh white; skin dark green; netted when ripe. Suitable for slicing. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50c; lb., \$1.40, postpaid.

**384—MIXED CUCUMBER SEED.** I often have inquiries for mixed Cucumber seed for those who want to use the crop themselves for pickling and slicing. My mixture is made up of all the very best varieties. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

### Early Loose Leaf Lettuce

Culture. Lettuce needs cool weather and plenty of moisture. Young

Lettuce plants are very hardy and consequently can be planted very early in the Spring. To have good Lettuce you should keep it growing rapidly. Can be planted at intervals during the Summer. The loose-leaf varieties are more popular, such as Early Curled Simpson and Grand Rapids. In Head Lettuce use May's Brittle Ice, and May's Wonderful, as they form large heads and are all fine varieties for forcing.

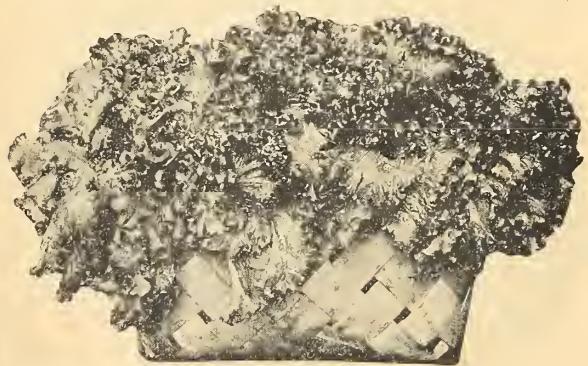
### Early Loose Leaf Lettuce

These do not form solid heads but where the plants are grown singly at a suitable distance apart they make a large cluster of leaves.

**401—SIMPSON'S EARLY CURLED.** (40 days.) Leaves broad, very much curled, forming a large, loose head; light green in color; sweet, tender and well flavored. One of the most reliable varieties. Seed white. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**402—BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON.** (40 days.) Always reliable and easily grown. Large and compact; leaves finely fringed and very crisp and tender. Very good in hot weather. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

Simpson's  
Early  
Curled  
Lettuce



**Early Loose Leaf Lettuce (Continued)**

- 404—MAY'S PROLIFIC.** (45 days.) Very similar to Simpson's Black Seeded, except better quality and the leaves having a brownish red tinge. Exceptionally tender. Try my new Prolific—you'll like it. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$1.80, postpaid.
- 406—GRAND RAPIDS.** (40 days.) This does not form solid heads but makes large compact bunches of light green leaves with attractive green edges, especially adapted to greenhouse culture in Winter. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**Crisp Head Lettuce**

A quick grower and forms large heads of conical shape, not so tightly folded as butter head varieties. To grow good head lettuce start early in the house or hotbed, transplant later to the garden, a foot apart each way. Rich soil, early planting and lots of moisture is necessary for good Head Lettuce.

**410—MAY'S BRITTLE ICE.** (47 days.) The leaves are soft, bright green, sweet and crisp. Largest of all crisp heading varieties. Adapted for mid-summer use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**412—BIG BOSTON.** (50 days.) Large forcing sort; very hardy, vigorous; broad, smooth, light green leaves. Heads quite solid; an old favorite. Good for late summer planting too. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

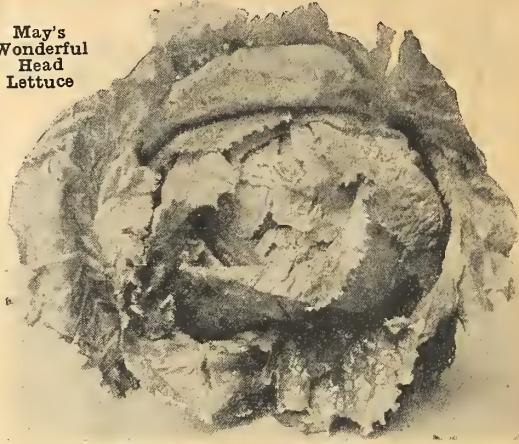
**414—HANSON.** (50 days.) A sure heading variety, for late planting; standing the heat remarkably well. Large, flat heads and so slow to form seed stalk that it often fails to seed at all. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

**415—MAY'S WONDERFUL.** (48 days.) The best of the newer heading varieties; heads very compact and large; bleaches perfectly. My variety is grown for the market in our large commercial Lettuce growing district. This is very popular and is the variety usually obtained from your grocer when buying head lettuce. Very good for the home gardener. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 65c; lb., \$2.25, postpaid.

**416—ICEBERG.** (50 days.) Large, crisp heads, tightly folded and well branched; mild flavor, even during hot Summer months. Tender and sweet. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 55c; lb., \$1.65, postpaid.

**418—MAY'S MIXED LETTUCE SEED.** All kinds mixed together. Do not sow too thickly and your crop will come on continuously. My very best varieties included in this mixture. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

May's Wonderful Head Lettuce

**Butter Head Varieties**

These varieties grow to good size and head solidly in rounded form, the leaves being light golden color or buttery yellow.

**420—CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER.** (50 days.) Leaves are broad, very thick and crumpled. Interior of head rich, golden yellow; outside darker, producing large, solid heads of beautiful appearance. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

**422—CRISP AS ICE.** The hardest of all Lettuces, sometimes remaining in the garden until Thanksgiving. Heads somewhat globe-shaped, dark green and bronze; the heart is splendid. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

**MUSKMELON or Cantaloupe**

One Ounce Will Sow 80 Hills

**Culture.** Sow in May, in hills 6 feet apart each way; 8 to 10 seeds in a hill half-inch deep. When plants produce rough leaves, thin to three plants. Prepare hills by trenching in rotten manure and sand. Soon as plants appear above ground, dust with soot, charcoal dust or Slug Shot to prevent bugs. In green-fleshed varieties we suggest May's Extra Early and Rocky Ford. In golden-fleshed sorts, Hearts of Gold, Mayfair Surprise and Mayview Favorite.

**Green Fleshed Kind**

**432—MAY'S IMPROVED ROCKY FORD.** (70 days.) The popular, early Cantaloupe. Slightly ribbed; thick, green flesh; delicious flavor. One of the best for home use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**434—MAY'S EXTRA EARLY.** (68 days.) One of the most prolific. Size 5 x 5 inches. Weight 2 1/4 lbs. Very prolific. Early round, medium size. Fruit slightly ribbed. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**435—GOLD LINED.** (92 days.) A novelty in Rocky Fords, Golden fleshed next to seed cavity. Flesh thick, sweet and spicy. Medium late. Weight, 2 1/2 lbs., Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25.

**436—HONEY DEW.** (120 days.) Requires longer and warmer season than other Melons. Smooth white rind, green flesh and flavor something like honey. Has small seed cavity, juicy. They are best when put into a cool place two or three days before eating and are about right for eating when they appear a trifle overripe. My seed is from Melons of uniform size. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.

**442—EXTRA EARLY HACKENSACK.** (65 days.) Fruits round and flattened at the end. Very heavily netted and irregularly ribbed. One of the best early green-meated sorts. Melons weigh 4 1/4 lbs. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15, postpaid.

**Golden or Orange Fleshed**

**452—GOLDEN LAKE CHAMPLAIN.** (57 days.) A new Melon that beats them all in earliness, productiveness and hardness. Medium size; flesh deep golden color; plant very vigorous. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**458—HEARTS OF GOLD.** An orange-fleshed, round Melon, finely netted, medium size, ideal for shipping and home garden. Flesh is thick, firm, of fine texture and delicious flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**460—MAYVIEW FAVORITE.** (70 days.) Pink-meated variety, small like Rocky Ford. Good for home garden. It is very vigorous and a heavy bearer. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**464—MAYFAIR SURPRISE.** (94 days.) Matures in 94 days. Has a heavy coarse netting completely covering the fruit. Is slightly ribbed. Flesh is a deep orange. Very highly flavored. Weight up to 10 lbs. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 65c; lb., \$2.25, postpaid.

**466—OSAGE or MILLER'S CREAM.** (80 days.) Thick, firm, orange flesh of fine quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

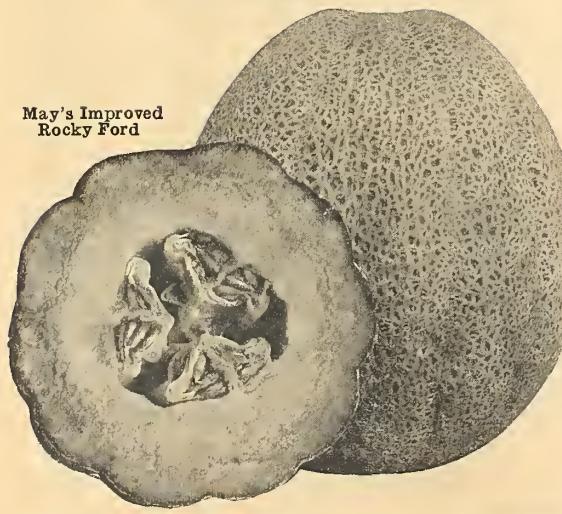
**468—BANANA CANTALOUPE.** (85 days.) The flesh is very solid, rich salmon color. Delicious flavor when the Melon is thoroughly ripe. Grows from 20 to 30 inches in length and is very prolific; peculiar in appearance. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**465—SHUMWAY'S GIANT.** (75 days.) The giant of the pink meated muskmelons. Creamy yellow. Some melons get 25 lbs. Very pleasant taste, does not get stringy. Shape a little flat. Weight, 12 to 14 lbs. Size 9 x 10 inches. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.40, postpaid.

**470—MIXED MUSKMELONS.** Give the boys a packet or ounce of this seed for their own melon patch—the cream of the crop. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15, postpaid.

Hearts of Gold

May's Improved Rocky Ford



# MAY'S DELICIOUS WATERMELONS

One Ounce Will Plant About 30 Hills

**Culture.** Treat same as Muskmelons except to plant 8 to 10 feet apart, according to variety. Plant 7 to 10 seeds in a hill. Seed should not be planted before the ground becomes warm and dry. After insects have left, leave but 3 to 4 strong plants. Slug Shot and Evergreen (page 20) are very effective for the insects which work on melon vines. For melon lice use Evergreen.

Sweet Heart is a fine Melon, and don't forget our Improved Kleckley Sweet. This Melon is one of the sweetest and largest—many of them weighing 50 pounds each. One ounce of seed to 30 hills, 3 to 4 lbs. per acre.

## Watermelon and all garden seeds postpaid.

**472—COLE'S EARLY.** (80 days.) One of the earliest Melons of all and especially good for family use. Very productive; rind green, striped with a lighter shade. Flesh bright red, crisp and sweet; good shipper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 5 lbs., \$3.75, postpaid.

**474—SWEET HEART.** (90 days.) Large, heavy Melons of oval or round shape. Skin light green and very thin rind. Excellent flavor, crisp and exceedingly sweet; dark seeds. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$4.00, postpaid.

**484—GOLDEN HONEY.** (90 days.) Beautiful golden flesh Melon of the best quality; very tender and sweet; round or oblong shape, light green. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$5.00, postpaid.

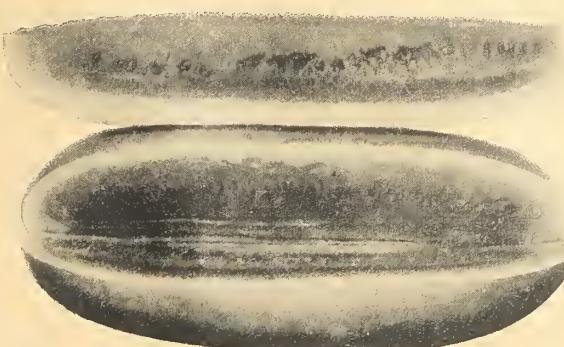
**486—GIPSY, OR GEORGIA RATTLESNAKE.** (90 days.) The second-best early Melon. A very large home garden Melon; light green in color with mottled stripes of darker shade; seeds creamy white; black tips. Uniformly large. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 5 lbs., \$3.75, postpaid.

**488—TOM WATSON.** The Tom Watson is an excellent all-purpose Melon for you to grow for nearby markets, and is an excellent shipper on account of its thick rind. Dark green in color. A long melon with rich red heart. The seed from these Melons is from a selected strain of Melons of uniform size. Will weigh from 50 to 65 pounds each. My seed is of the best and very hardy. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; 5 lbs., \$3.85, postpaid.

**490—NEW IRISH GRAY.** (95 days.) Also called General Pershing. Irish Gray is the most satisfactory late summer Melon available because it is just right when other sorts die out. Uniformly large size. Closely resembles Kleckley Sweet, except the color, which is a yellowish-gray. The brilliant, sparkling, red, sweet, firm flesh is without a hard center; rind almost as tough as a citron, making a good shipper. Plant Irish Gray for home use or market and you will be delighted. Seeds white. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$4.00, postpaid.

**493—COLORADO PRESERVING CITRON.** (100 days.) Fruits large, very solid, practically white. Make delicious preserves. Fruit round and perfectly marbled, green seeded. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; postpaid.

**494—MIXED MELONS.** A good mixture of our most popular varieties. A few new ones for trial included. Let your boys have that melon patch for pleasure and profit. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid.



### Improved Kleckley Sweet

**478—(85 days).** The most popular melon in the Central West, and as far as that is concerned, everywhere. It is regular in shape, rich, sweet, and of high quality. It has an even, dark green skin, and there should not be a farm home in the entire country, nor even a good sized town garden, without this wonderful Melon in it, to serve and eat on the hot summer days. Its large and generous heart is frosty red, and deliciously sweet. The seed we offer is taken from Colorado-grown melons weighing 25 lbs. or more and is grown exclusively for seed purposes, not seed selected from the left-over melons of a commercial patch. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$5.00, postpaid.



### 492—May's Early Honey

(85 days.) Here's a Melon for home use in the Central West that bids fair to outdo Kleckley Sweet in popularity. Every farm home and town garden should have this Honey Melon in it. Seeds are white with black tips. The rind is a deep green with fine veins. The melons will average 25 pounds. Slightly ridged long, and blunt at both ends. The flesh is a beautiful crimson, very crisp and tender. Not a very good shipper. No stringy pulp is left even after the largest bite of delicious, sweet heart. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$1.75; 5 lbs., \$7.00, postpaid.

## My "Backyard Garden Seed Collection"



I want every one to have a garden, so I have made up this special collection for the fellow whose back yard is not large enough to hold my "BIG SPECIAL COLLECTION" (as on back cover).

**12 Varieties  
1 Large Pkg. of Each  
All for \$1.00 Postpaid**

May's Twenty Day Radish.  
Icicle Radish.  
Iceberg Lettuce.  
Crimson Globe Beet.  
Danver's Half Long Carrot.  
Early Mayflower Sweet Corn.  
Stays Green Cucumber.  
Little Marvel Peas.  
Extra Early White Milan Turnip.  
Bloomsdale Spinach.  
May's Perfection Bush Bean.  
Golden Acre Cabbage.  
Also 1 can Garden Nitratin for Peas,  
Beans and Sweet Peas.

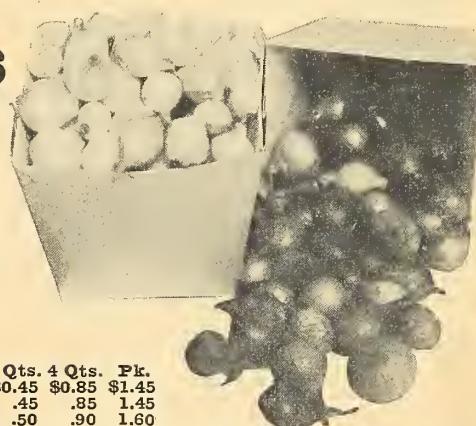
## MAY'S ONION SETS

Green Onions from your sets will be your first garden crop in the Spring. One quart of sets will plant a 40-foot row, 10 to 12 bushels per acre. The Onions are ready for table use in about 40 days.

Our sets are grown under ideal conditions, will stand all sorts of hardship, and will grow better Onions than any other sets.

	Qt.	2 Qts.	4 Qts.	Pk.
532—Red Bottom Sets..	\$0.25	\$0.45	\$0.85	\$1.45
534—Yellow Bottom Sets..	.25	.45	.85	1.45
536—White Bottom Sets..	.30	.50	.90	1.60

"I think I should report on the garden seed order I bought of you. Practically every seed grew—not pale little weaklings either, but fine sturdy plants. And parsnips! I always have trouble in getting parsnip seed to germinate as it should, but this is one time I have a stand of parsnips. I bought one packet at a store here but May's are growing, much the best." Mrs. E. H. Rhoads, Fort Dodge, Iowa.



"I am sending you my garden seed order as we think you have the best seeds grown. We have bought your seeds for the last two years and think every seed grew for I sure had a wonderful garden. I usually plant about three times as much as I want to get a fair size yield, but I have found with your seed everything grew so good last year we couldn't use half of it." Mrs. L. W. Gregory, Imperial, Nebr.

## Onion Seed

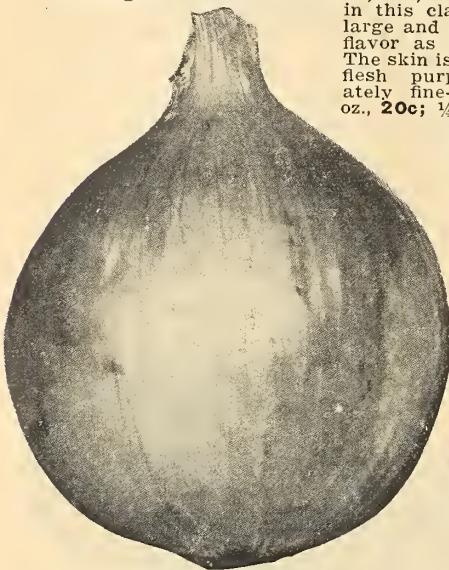
One Ounce for 100 Feet of Drill,  
5 to 6 Pounds Per Acre

**Culture.** Sow in rich, sandy soil in drills one foot apart as early as possible in the Spring. Cover with fine soil and firm well either with roller or back of spade. When plants are strong enough, thin out to 3 or 4 inches. Cultivate and keep free from weeds. As a general rule reds keep better than whites. For sets, sow 50 to 60 pounds for an acre. For thrips, use "Evergreen" (page 20).

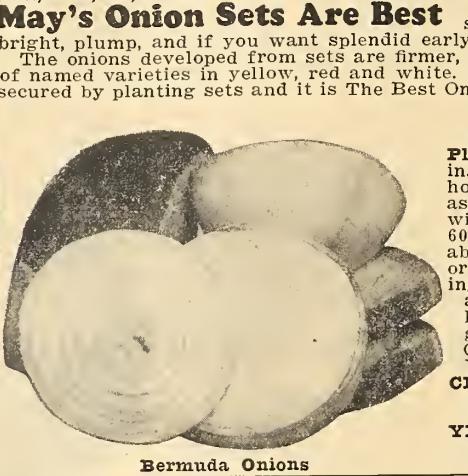
**502—MAY'S YELLOW GIANT.** (110 days.) This bright straw-colored, globe-shaped onion is the most enormous onion that grows, and will weigh up to 6 or 8 pounds. Produces splendid crops, some acreages running up as high as 1,200 bushels to the acre. A leading market variety. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 65c; lb., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$10.00, postpaid.

**503—PRIZE TAKER.** For years the principal yellow onion; large, mild and sweet, globe shape; light straw color. Was leading yellow onion until I introduced my new Yellow Giant. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; 1 lb., \$2.00.

**504—EXTRA LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD.** (100 days.) This is the largest of the Red Onions, flat, and is the best Onion in this class. The Onions are large and solid, and as mild in flavor as the white varieties. The skin is a deep purplish-red; flesh purplish-white; moderately fine-grained. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00.



May's Yellow Giant



Bermuda Onions

**506—MAY'S FAMILY ONION.** (110 days.) White Globe shape. This is one of the most popular for family use, one of the best for pickling, slicing and boiling. Good keepers, excellent for winter use. It is suitable for bunching and also fine for onion sets. Grows easily everywhere. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75; 5 lbs., \$12.50, postpaid.

**508—SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE.** (110 days.) Remarkably uniform size; color rich red with a glossy appearance; inner flesh white, tinged with purple; good keeper. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$9.00, postpaid.

**510—SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE.** (110 days.) Similar in shape to other Southport Onions but differing in color; rich golden yellow, mild and sweet. Will average from 3 to 3 1/2 inches in diameter. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00; 5 lbs., \$9.00, postpaid.

**512—YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS.** (115 days.) Main crop yellow Onion for home garden. Medium size and globe-shape; ripens very evenly, very mild and good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; lb., \$2.00, postpaid.

**516—WHITE PORTUGAL or SILVERSKIN.** (115 days.) Very popular for family use. A mild onion. Good for pickling, also for slicing and boiling. Good keeper, excellent for Winter use. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50, postpaid.

**520—WHITE BERMUDA.** (100 days.) Onions white, broad and flat; flesh crisp, solid, very mild. Not a good keeper; but very popular because of its mild, sweet flavor. Pkt., 10c; oz., 55c; 1/4 lb., \$1.75; lb., \$6.00, postpaid.

### May's Onion Sets Are Best

bright, plump, and if you want splendid early green onions, use these.

The onions developed from sets are firmer, better keepers, and our sets are made up of named varieties in yellow, red and white. The Large Red Wethersfield can only be secured by planting sets and it is the Best Onion Today in Reds.

## Bermuda Onion Plants

**How to Grow Bermuda Onions from Plants.** Plant in rows 14 to 16 in. apart; 4 in. apart in row. With sharp stick make hole about two inches deep, place plant in as you withdraw stick and press dirt firmly with stick. Cultivate shallow. When about 60 per cent of tops droop or are soft just above Onion, pull up, let lay in sun for two or three days to increase firmness. For keeping for home use, let tops and roots remain and tie in bunches. Be careful where you hang them for light turns Crystal Wax green. (Not Yellow Bermuda).

Onion plants are put up in bunches of 100. We do not split bunches.

**CRYSTAL WHITE WAX** plants. 600, \$1.00 postpaid; 1000, \$1.50 postpaid; case of 6000, \$7.00 (postpaid in zones 1, 2 and 3).

**YELLOW BERMUDA** plants. 600, \$1.00 postpaid; 1000, \$1.50 postpaid; case of 6000, \$7.00 (postpaid in zones 1, 2, and 3).

## Peppers

One Ounce Will Produce  
About 1500 Plants



Ruby King

**Culture.** Peppers are more sensitive to frost than most other vegetables, and they should not be planted out until settled warm weather has arrived. The seed should be sown in the hotbed, cold frame, or if no better convenience is available, a box in the window. Transplant later in a row 24 inches apart each way and keep the soil clean and well stirred.

**572—SWEET MOUNTAIN.** (Mild.) Strong growth and very productive. A large bright red fruit up to 6 inches long and 4 inches in diameter. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c postpaid.

**574—RUBY KING.** (140 days.) (Mild.) A good pickling Pepper; long scarlet fruits, 4 to 6 inches long, 3 to 4 inches thick; flesh quite thick, crisp and tender, and very productive. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 40c; postpaid.

**576—MAY'S EARLY GIANT.** (Mild.) A new variety that does especially well in more Northern latitudes. Large, bright red fruits, 4 1/2 to 5 inches high and 4 inches thick, with very thick flesh. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c.

**578—NEAPOLITAN.** (123 days.) (Hot.) Very prolific, producing well formed fruits of light green color; flesh thick. Mighty good for stuffing. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 40c, postpaid.

**580—RED CHILI.** (145 days.) (Hot.) The bushes are broad and seldom more than 28 inches high. The fruit measures 2 to 3 inches in length and a quarter inch thick. Very productive and is very hot. Especially good for making Pepper sauce. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 40c, postpaid.

**582—PIMENTO.** Thick fleshed, mild and sweet, smooth glossy green turning bright red. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c.

## Parsley

One Ounce Will Sow About  
150 Feet of Drill

**Culture.** Sow early in the Spring, in drills 1 ft. apart and 1/2 in. deep. Thin out young plants to 4 inches.

**556—CHAMPION MOSS CURLED.** (70 to 75 days.) The most popular variety. Grows to a height of about 8 inches. Color dark, rich green; leaves crimped and curled. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; postpaid.

**558—HAMBURG TURNIP-ROOTED.** (85 days.) The root is the edible portion of this variety and resembles a small parsnip in both color and shape. Hamburg Parsley should be handled the same as Carrots. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c, postpaid.



**552—HOLLOW CROWN, LONG, SMOOTH.** (125 days.) Large, tender and sugary. The best. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c; 1/2 lb., 65c; postpaid.

## Parsnips

One Ounce Will Sow 200 Feet of  
Drill, 5 to 6 Pounds Per Acre

**Culture.** Sow early in spring in drills 18 in. apart, cover with fine soil to 1/2 in. The soil should be rich and deeply dug.



Champion Moss Curled Parsley

## Peanuts

**Culture.** Require similar soil conditions as garden corn, and take about as long to grow. Remove outer shell, taking care not to damage kernels, and sow kernels in drills 2 1/2 feet apart and 1 1/2 inches deep. Allow 9 inches between nuts in row. Cultivate freely. The bloom need not be covered. Dig before first frost and let cure under cover for two or three weeks.

**630—MAMMOTH JUMBO.** One of the most profitable to grow; easy to cultivate. Very erect stems and upright foliage; stands the heat and drought and ripens very early. Let the children grow some Peanuts. Pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

# PEAS

## Northern Grown

One pound will plant 100 feet of drill.

**Culture.** For early crops, sow as early in the Spring as practicable and then every 2 or 3 weeks for succession throughout the season up to the first of August. Plant in single or double rows 4 feet apart and 2 inches deep. If dry weather, soak the Peas over night before planting. Throughout the midwest extra early Peas, if planted from the 15th to the last of August, will produce a medium crop for late picking, when they will be found most acceptable.

\*Varieties marked with star are wrinkled, and should be sown more thickly than smooth or round Peas, and not until ground has become warm, as they are more liable to rot.



Little Marvel



Tom Thumb

## May's Extra Early Varieties

172—**ALASKA.** (45 days.)

Earliest of all. Exceptionally heavy yielder. Plant as early as you can open the ground. Very hardy, grows about 2 feet high; pods will average from 2 to 2½ inches in length, 4 to 6 Peas to the pod. A good variety for canning and market use. Seeds are pale bluish green. Pkt., 7c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.65, postpaid.

174—**TOM THUMB.** (47 days.)

Ideal dwarf pea for home planting; grows only 12 to 15 inches high, and can be planted close together. Bush heavily loaded with flat pods full of Peas. Especially good for creaming with new potatoes. These are smooth and can be planted exceptionally early; heavy yielder. Pkt., 7c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

## Dwarf Wrinkled Varieties

178—**MAY'S FILLBASKET.** (57 days.) Large, extremely hardy and a very heavy yielder. One of the best varieties for home use. Pkt., 7c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid.

180—\***LITTLE MARVEL.** (58 days.) The vines grow very even and uniform, about 15 inches high and produce very abundantly. Pods are well filled with delicious deep green Peas. I am sure you will be delighted with this variety. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

182—\***MAY'S EVERBEARING.** Height, 2½ feet. A productive, second-early variety. Peas are large, good quality; vines grow 2 feet in height. For a continued bearer, this variety is unequalled. Vine is close-jointed and thickly hung with round, well filled pods, 3 inches in length. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

## Midseason Peas

184—\***DWARF TELEPHONE OR DAISY.** A medium-late Pea, makes a vigorous growth and is very productive. Pods are well filled. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.60, postpaid.

186—\***IMPROVED TELEPHONE.** (Alderman Strain.) (70 days.) Height, 3½ to 4 feet. Especially good main crop variety, known by everyone. Pods good size, bearing 18 to 20 pods per bush; well filled with high quality Peas. Delicious flavor. A fine Pea to grow for market. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.60, postpaid.



188—\***CHAMPION OF ENGLAND.** Height, 4½ feet; growth is strong, exceedingly productive. Peas are large size and of good quality. Delicious flavor. 6 to 8 Peas to the pod. Pkt., 5c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 70c; 5 lbs., \$1.60, postpaid.

## Edible Pod Sugar Peas

(Used in the same manner as Wax Beans.)

190—**LUSCIOUS MELTING SUGAR.** Large, broad pods which are so brittle that they snap without any string. Height, 5 feet. Pods when cooked are very tender, sweet and sugary. Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 45c; 2 lbs., 80c; 5 lbs., \$1.75, postpaid.

# PUMPKINS—Fine for Pies

One ounce will plant 50 hills.

**Culture.** Plant in April or May among corn or in the garden in hills 8 to 10 feet apart, to give the vines plenty of room to spread. Cultivate the same as cucumbers. If bugs and worms bother, dust with Slug Shot.

602—**CONNECTICUT FIELD or BIG TOM.** (75 days.) A standard Pumpkin grown in cornfields to make feeding crop for cattle. Sometimes used for canning. Strong, vigorous grower, fruits averaging 15 to 20 inches in diameter; outside color a reddish orange, and flesh orange-yellow. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.35, postpaid.

604—**KING OF THE MAMMOTHS or JUMBO.** (110 days.) Grows to an immense size and often weighs 100 pounds. I do not recommend this variety for home use, but as a show Pumpkin it is hard to beat. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

606—**LARGE CHEESE.** (85 days.) Variety commonly known as a sweet Pumpkin. Large, hardy and productive; shape flat like a cheese box. A good sort for pies as well as stock feeding. Creamy buff skin and thick, golden flesh. Extensively used for canning. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60c, postpaid.



Small Sugar Pumpkin

608—**CUSHAW or CROOKNECK.** (80 days.) Sometimes called a squash. Productive; color light green, sometimes lightly striped. Flesh salmon color, mealy and sweet. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

610—**SMALL SUGAR PIE PUMPKIN.** Best of all. Looks like a regular field Pumpkin, but is smaller and entirely different quality; early, of sweet, delicious flavor; excellent keeper. The most prolific yielder and cannot be excelled as a table Pumpkin. Sometimes called a Red Sugar or Red Pie Pumpkin. Matures in 65 days. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$4.50, postpaid.

612—**TENNESSEE SWEET POTATO.** (85 days.) Medium size and resembles a sweet potato in flavor. Pear-shaped and slightly ribbed; good keeper; flesh light color; productive and sweet. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

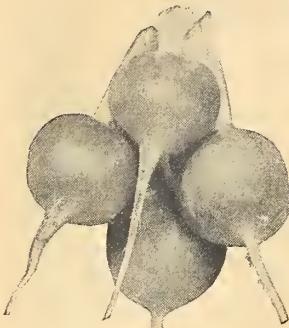
614—**JAPANESE PIE.** (95 days.) Skin deep green, darker stripes turning to yellow as the fruit ripens. Flesh thick, rich salmon color; dry and sweet; makes splendid pies. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.35, postpaid.



Big Tom

# RADISHES

One Ounce Will Sow  
About 100 Feet of Drill



New Crimson Giant



Early Scarlet Turnip

**Culture.** As early in spring as soil can be worked, sow any early round or olive-shaped varieties in rows one-half inch deep, one foot to 18 inches between rows. Sow thinly; if seedlings appear closer than one inch apart, thin out. Hoe frequently to encourage rapid growth. Winter varieties should be pulled after light frost and stored like beets. Both Summer and Winter radishes should be thinned to 4 to 6 inches apart. After middle of May do not sow flat, round and olive-shaped spring kinds; but sow white Icicle and Early Scarlet Turnip, as these resist hot weather. About July 1st, sow Winter varieties.

## May's Early Round and Oval Varieties

640—**MAY'S EARLY BIRD.** (28 days.) One of the earliest Radishes; of rich color; perfect shape and good quality. Rich scarlet color. Flesh white, crisp, juicy and mild; globe shape. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

642—**NEW CRIMSON GIANT.** (33 days.) A new, early Radish of good size and suitable for forcing or for early planting outdoors. Flesh is purest white, mild in flavor, firm and crisp, remaining in edible condition longer than other sorts. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

644—**FRENCH BREAKFAST.** (25 days.) A favorite with all. I think this is one of the best Radishes that grow. Just right for small, crisp table Radishes. Is of quick growth, oblong in shape and beautiful scarlet color with white tip. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c; lb., 95c, postpaid.

646—**EARLY SCARLET TURNIP.** (25 days.) Round, red, turnip-shape with small top; early variety with rich color. Crisp and brittle. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

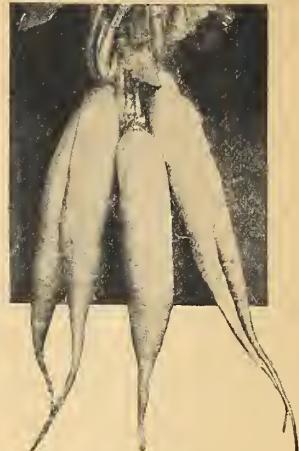
648—**TWENTY DAY.** (20 days.) Quickest maturing of all Radishes. Roots are half-long, oval-shaped, scarlet-red, white tip. After 20 days, two fine small leaves only. On account of its earliness, very tender, tasteful and solid. Sure yielder. Pkt., 15c; 2 for 25c; oz., 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 90c, postpaid.

## Early Long Radishes

654—**MAY'S WHITE ICICLE.** Extra early, long, white Radish. Slender, pure white roots, mild and crisp, and grow to large size. One of best varieties for home garden. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

656—**EARLY LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP.** (28 days.) Grows 6 to 7 inches long; bright scarlet; very brittle and crisp; a rapid grower. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

658—**EARLY SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP.** (28 days.) Bright red with a pure white tip; flesh white, crisp and of good flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.



May's White Icicle

## Summer Varieties

660—**LONG WHITE VIENNA.** Good sort for main crop. Ready for table in 35 days. Both skin and flesh are pure snow-white; crisp, brittle and a rapid grower; longer roots than Icicle and tops are also larger. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

662—**WHITE STRASBURG.** Shape tapering, skin and flesh both white, excellent Summer variety. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

## Long Keeping Winter Radishes

666—**CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE.** Very large and one of the best of the Winter varieties. Pure white; flesh tender and crisp. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

668—**CHINA ROSE.** Grows larger than the Spanish variety; rose color; flesh white; mild for Winter Radish; very fine when cooked. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

670—**LONG BLACK SPANISH.** The best keeper of all. Skin black, flesh white. Grows quite long, somewhat sharp in taste. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

672—**ROUND BLACK SPANISH.** Globe shape, 3 to 4 inches in diameter; skin black, flesh white. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

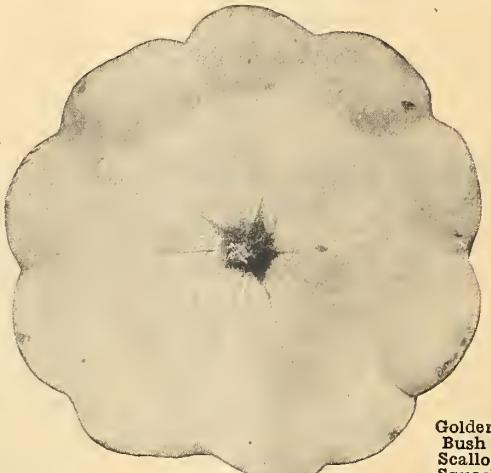
# SPINACH

One ounce will sow about 100 feet of drill; 10 pounds per acre.

**Culture.** Sow in March or April in drills an inch deep and 14 inches apart. Again in August or September. Delights in very rich soil. Sow in rows one foot apart and one inch deep.

682—**BLOOMSDALE.** The earliest variety and one of the best to plant in Autumn for early Spring use. Leaves are curled like those of Savoy cabbage. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20c; lb., 50c, postpaid.

684—**KING OF DENMARK.** Strong, vigorous plants that bear an abundance of large, dark green, crumpled leaves. An especially good variety for the small garden. Ideal for spring sowing as plants are very slow to run to seed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 20c; lb., 55c, postpaid.



Golden Bush Scallop Squash



Salsify

## SALSIFY or Vegetable Oyster

One ounce will sow about 50 feet of drill.

**Culture.** Sow early in spring, in drills 12 in. apart and one inch deep, thin out young plants to 6 inches. Roots will be ready in October, when a supply should be taken up and stored like carrots. Will suffer no injury left in ground until spring. Long, smooth white roots when cooked, have flavor like oysters.

690—**MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND.** Tender and delicious. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 70c; lb., \$2.25, postpaid.

## Tobacco

One ounce will sow about 25 square feet and will produce enough plants for one acre.

**Culture.** Sow under glass during February. In early June plant out 3 feet apart each way.

706—**HAVANA.** Well known large-leaf variety, especially good for the manufacture of cigars. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

# SQUASH

One ounce of early Squash will plant about 25 hills.

**Culture.** Squash seed succeeds best in good, rich soil. It is not advisable to plant before May 15. Plant in hills 4 to 5 feet apart, for bush varieties, and for the running varieties, 7 to 8 feet apart. Put 6 to 10 seeds in a hill, finally thinning out to 3 to 4 plants. Winter Squashes may be grown in the corn fields the same as pumpkin. Use "Evergreen" for Squash beetle (page 20).

## Summer or Early Varieties

710—**GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK.** A popular yellow Crookneck. Bigger, more uniform, with heavily warty shell and deep golden yellow flesh. Ready for table in 55 days. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

714—**GOLDEN BUSH SCALLOP.** (55 days.) Early, flat, scallop variety; skin deep yellow; flesh pale yellow; well flavored. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

716—**WHITE BUSH SCALLOP.** (55 days.) Well known patty-pan Squash. One of the earliest and very productive; cream color. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c; lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

(More Varieties on Next Page.)

# Fall or Winter Squash

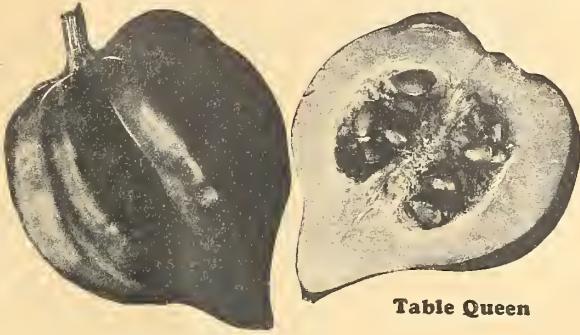
**720—CHICAGO WARTED HUBBARD.** (65 days.) Excellent for Winter use. Vines are healthy, strong and very productive; producing large quantities of dark green fruits; flesh very rich golden yellow, fine grained and dry. A variety that is reliable and known by all. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**722—MAY'S GOLDEN HUBBARD.** (65 days.) One of the best Winter Squashes for home use. Same quality as Green Hubbard and Warted. Warted, but smaller in size, a trifle earlier; skin is bright deep orange-yellow; flesh is deep golden yellow, fine grained. Yields extra heavy and of the very best quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**724—BANANA.** (110 days.) Fruit whitish-green; 2 to 3 feet long, fine flavor. Fine, mealy texture. Flesh thick and tender, deep golden yellow. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.



**Hubbard Squash**



**Table Queen**

**726—A NEW SQUASH, KITCHENETTE.** In size, the Kitchenette runs evenly 5 to 7 pounds. Just right for the average family. Compares favorably with the heaviest cropping Hubbards. The Kitchenette can be depended upon to ripen within about six weeks of blossoming. This insures a complete ripened crop at almost any point within the United States and even part of Canada. Probably because of this complete maturity, they may be kept very nearly as easily as potatoes. By keeping them stored in a large pile on the floor of an ordinary basement, one has no trouble to keep them safely into the Spring. As they keep, the quality, which is splendid even early in the Fall, becomes superb. They cook up mealy and dry, with a delicious, nutty flavor. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**730—NEW TABLE QUEEN.** Here is a Squash that is a dandy. Cut in half and bake for twenty minutes it will give you a delicious meal, and if you like pie, try one from Table Queen. This is one of the best quality Squashes. Vines very vigorous and productive, and a tremendously heavy yielder. Fruit nice size to handle, 6 to 7 inches long, 4 to 5 inches in diameter. Shell is hard and smooth, good keeper. Color dark green and sometimes a blotch of red at the pointed end. Table Queen ripens in the Fall. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.50, postpaid.

**732—WINTER CROOKNECK.** (65 days.) Fruits long with crooked neck, skin dark green and sometimes with blotches of yellow; fine keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.15, postpaid.

**One Ounce Will Produce About 2000 Plants**

# Tomatoes

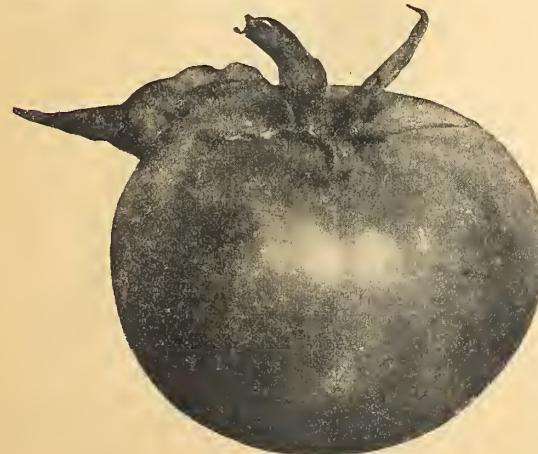
**Culture.** Tomato seed may be sown in hot-bed from about second week of February, up to end of April, in drills 5 inches apart and one-half inch deep. When plants are about 2 inches high, transplant about 4 inches apart, or in 4-inch pots, allowing single plant to pot. About May 15th, plants may be set in open ground 3 feet apart. Water freely at transplanting. Sufficient plants for a small garden may be started by sowing a few seeds in a shallow box or flower box, in a sunny window. For final seeding, it is not too late to sow during June, using early varieties, and sowing in open ground.

The quality of the fruit is improved if vines are tied to trellis or stakes. If necessary to spray, use Bordeaux Mixture to prevent disease, and with arsenate of lead or EVERGREEN (page 20) for worms.

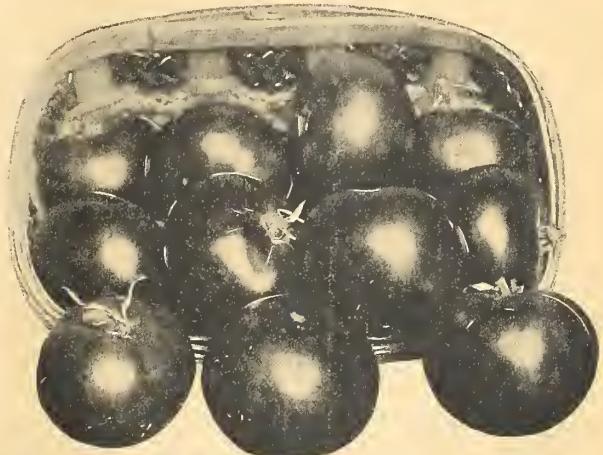
**766—MAY'S EXTRA EARLY BOUNTIFUL.** I have been growing my Bountiful Tomato on May View Trial Grounds for years and I have found it to be one of the best Tomatoes on the market. It produces perfect, smooth-skinned, beautiful red Tomatoes in about 40 days from transplanting. It is not unusual to get seventy-five Tomatoes from one plant. When dead ripe, May's Bountiful will not burst. It has a very rich, deep red color, mild and good flavor. Pkt., 15c; 1/2 oz., 35c; oz., 65c, postpaid. (Illustrated on back cover.)

**757—MARGLOBE.** (100 days.) Most outstanding of the recent Tomato introductions. Developed by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture for resistance to wilt, rust and rot. Main crop; large, well rounded and bright scarlet-red. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 30c; oz., 50c, postpaid.

**758—EARLIANA.** (90 days.) Early, smooth-skinned Tomato. Vines are small but vigorous and productive. Tomatoes scarlet color and borne in clusters near the base of the plant. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c, postpaid.



**Stone Tomato**



**May's Extra Early Bountiful Tomato**

**760—JOHN BAER.** (95 days.) Fruits are large, early, practically round and of good quality. A good canning variety. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., \$1.10, postpaid.

**752—DWARF CHAMPION** (Tree Tomato). (110 days.) Vines grow dwarf and compact; stems thick and short. Extremely hardy and can be set out very early. Purplish pink color; medium quality. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 40c, postpaid.

**754—STONE.** (115 days.) Main crop variety. Large, bright scarlet Tomatoes; very smooth, ripening very evenly with solid and firm flesh. Used extensively for canning. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c, postpaid.

**756—PONDEROSA.** (110 days.) A commonly known variety; largest fruited Tomato of all. I have had Ponderosas that would often weigh 2 1/2 pounds each. They are not a smooth Tomato but generally ridged, very solid and fleshy, with small seed cells. Vines make a vigorous growth and should be staked. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 30c; oz., 50c, postpaid.

**762—GOLDEN PONDEROSA.** (110 days.) Same as Red Ponderosa, only of yellow color; good quality and a heavy yielder. Yellow Tomatoes, when sliced with red ones, make a very attractive dish. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 30c; oz., 50c, postpaid.

**764—GOLDEN QUEEN.** A large, yellow Tomato, ripens very evenly; smooth skin and good quality. One of the best large yellow varieties. Not quite as large as yellow Ponderosa, but smoother. Pkt., 5c; 1/2 oz., 20c; oz., 35c, postpaid.

## Small-Fruited Tomatoes

Very desirable for preserves and pickles.

**782—HUSK or GROUND CHERRY.** A small Tomato of golden color and a favorite for preserves. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 45c, postpaid

**784—YELLOW PEAR.** (95 days.) Pear-shaped Tomato. Bright yellow color and good flavor. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 45c, postpaid.

**786—RED PEAR.** (95 days.) Fruit bright red and pear-shaped. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 25c; oz., 45c, postpaid.

**788—COLLECTION,** one packet each of small fruited tomatoes of the above three varieties, 25c postpaid.

# TURNIPS

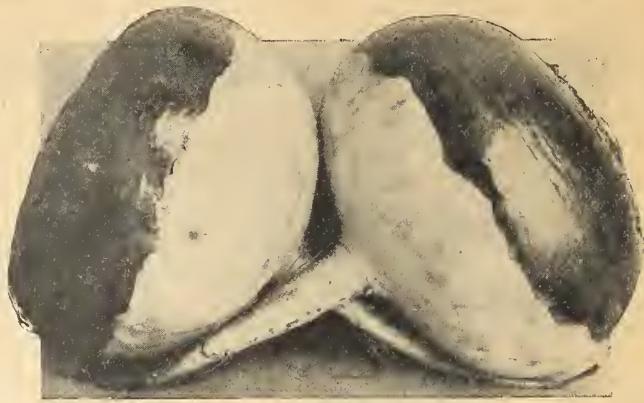
One ounce will sow  
150 feet of drill.

**Culture.** For early Turnips, sow as soon as the ground opens in the Spring. Rutabagas should be sown from any time in July to the first of August, but other kinds for Winter use may be sown from the middle of July to the end of August. Turnips are generally sown broadcast, but larger crops are obtained by cultivating in drills 18 inches apart. One pound of seed to the acre, if in drills. If sown broadcast, 2 to 3 pounds per acre. Three tons of Turnips or Rutabagas are worth as much as one ton of alfalfa hay.

**810—MAY'S SNOWBALL or EARLY SIX WEEKS.** (55 days.)

Does not grow large, but is one of the best to sow very early in the Spring; very tender and sweet. One of the best varieties for table use; uniform in size; flesh is pure white, solid and crisp. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.25, postpaid.

**812—EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF.** (60 days.) More generally planted than any other variety; quick grower, flesh fine grained and of sweet flavor. Extensively used for table. A very good keeper and may be sown either broadcast or in drills. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.25, postpaid.



Purple Top Strap Leaf



Early  
Snowball  
Six Weeks  
Turnip

**814—EXTRA EARLY WHITE MILAN.** (48 days.) One of the earliest Turnips and of excellent quality; pure white and very smooth. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$5.50, postpaid.

**816—EXTRA EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN.** (48 days.) Medium size, white, smooth and bright purple top; good for home use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.25; 5 lbs., \$5.50, postpaid.

**818—PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE.** (60 days.) A variety commonly known and generally planted for table use, being very productive, mild and very sweet. You should try this variety, and I am sure you will be pleased with it. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; 5 lbs., \$3.25, postpaid.

**820—LARGE YELLOW or AMBER GLOBE.** (67 days.) Flesh yellow; hardy and productive. This Turnip is grown largely for stock feeding. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; 5 lbs., \$3.00, postpaid.

## Rutabagas

**Culture.** Should be sown a few weeks earlier than Turnips, in drills 2 1/2 feet apart, covering about one-half inch deep. When the roots are full grown, pull them before freezing. Cut off tops and store them in the cellar for Winter use.

**832—AMERICAN PURPLE TOP.** (90 days.) An old standard variety, with yellow color and purple top; fine quality and a good yielder. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 85c; 5 lbs., \$3.50, postpaid.



American Purple  
Top Rutabaga

## Herbs—Odds and Ends

**910—MAY'S NEW GUINEA GOURD BEANS.** Weigh 15 pounds or more each. The vines will climb an arbor or any support to a height of 20 to 30 feet, or run along fences. Fruits grow from 3 to 4 feet in length and 4 to 6 inches in diameter. They are used in the same manner as squashes and egg plant, being sliced and fried. Pkt., 15c; 3 pkts., 40c, postpaid.

**914—BROCCOLI St. Valentine.** Similar to Cauliflower in appearance and quality. Pkt., 10c; 1/2 oz., 50c, postpaid.

**916—WATER CRESS** (*Nasturtium Officinale*). Perennial aquatic. Leaves fine for garnishing and salads. Pkt., 10c, postpaid.

**920—BRUSSELS SPROUTS.** Perfection. Small sprouts resembling miniature cabbage. Heavy yielder; fine quality. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 75c, postpaid.

**922—LAVENDER** (*Lavendula Vera*). The dried leaves and flowers are placed in clothes closets to scent linens. Pkt., 10c, postpaid.

**923—SWEET MARJORAM** (*Origanum Marjoram*). Used fresh or dried for seasoning sauces, soups, etc. Pkt., 5c, postpaid.

**936—CRESS or PEPPER GRASS.** Extra Curled. A small salad much used for lettuce. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c, postpaid.

**940—LENTILS.** Round, flat, pea-like seeds used for soups. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb., 35c; lb., 60c, postpaid.

**946—KALE or BOREcole.** Tall Green Curled. About 2 feet high. Numerous dark green, curled leaves. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c, postpaid.

**KOHLRABI.** A member of the cabbage family, between cabbage and turnip in growing, but with more delicate flavor than either.

**950—Early White Vienna.** Especially early, adapted for forcing; flesh white and very tender. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 75c, postpaid.

**952—Early Purple.** Purple outside with white flesh. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 75c, postpaid.

**958—LEEK.** American Flag.

A desirable, strong-growing broad-leaved Leek. Used as a substitute for green onions. Also for flavoring soups and salads. Very mild. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c, postpaid.

**962—MUSTARD.** Mammoth Southern Curled. Large, curled-leaved variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c, postpaid.

**966—OKRA, or GUMBO.** Improved Dwarf. The fruit pods are used in soups, stews and catsups. Pods comparatively short, but numerous. Early variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c, postpaid.

**980—DILL.** Used in soups and pickles. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c, postpaid.

**990—SAGE.** Useful for seasoning. Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c, postpaid.

## SPRAYERS

### Perfection Sprayer

The handiest sprayer of all to have about the place. Will handle whitewash, spray material of all kinds, disinfectants, etc. Has automatic shut-off nozzle and hose is attached at an angle so it won't kink. One pumping up of pressure discharges contents of tank. Holds about 4 gallons. Galvanized steel, \$6.50; brass, \$9.00, prepaid.



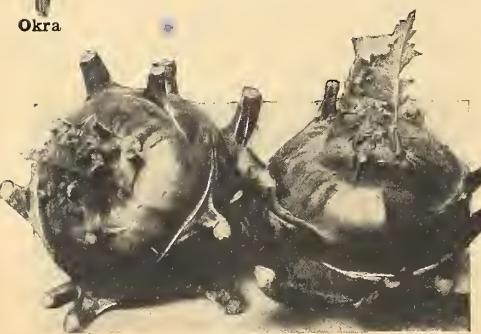
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### Perfection Jr. Sprayer

Same as Perfection, only smaller. Capacity 2 1/2 gallons. Galvanized, \$5.50 each. Brass \$7.50 each postpaid.



Okra



Kohlrabi



Sage

# Sow Your Lawn With Good Seed

## How to Have a Fine Lawn:

You can have a fine spread of green carpet-like grass over the sweep of lawn about your home if you follow these simple instructions:

(1) Dig top soil about six inches deep with spading fork but only when dry. If rain has fallen recently, allow a few days of fine weather before turning soil.

(2) As you dig, lift each clod high enough to enable you to turn it completely over.

(3) Strike the overturned clod with back of the fork to break it into finer pieces.

(4) Remove all stones, sticks and rubbish.

(5) Scatter bone meal or sheep manure on the spaded earth, one ton per acre, or one pound to 25 square feet.

(6) Draw a rake back and forth until soil is smooth and in fine condition.

(7) Sow May Park Lawn Grass 100 pounds per acre (four bushels), or one pound (nearly two quarts) to 400 square feet. Double the quantity when turf is needed quickly. Select a day when no wind is blowing. When seed is sown rake once more, very lightly. Merely draw rake toward you in light strokes, raking only once in same place. The idea is to cover most of the seed no more than one-eighth of an inch deep.

## Horn Lawn or Farm Seed Sower

This Sower is used with great success by farmers everywhere for sowing all kinds of seed broadcast. Sows 50 acres a day and is easily and quickly adjusted to various amounts. The sack is a heavy fabric, provided with shoulder straps and holds one and one-half bushels. Price, prepaid, \$1.00.

## Cyclone Lawn or Farm Seeder



For a handy seeder, this type is one of the best on the market. Holds one and one-half bushels. Sows all kinds of grain, grass and clover seed accurately. Has instant shut-off and automatic feed adjustment. \$2.25 each, postpaid or \$2.00 not prepaid.



**My Grass Seeds Make Beautiful Lawns**

**MAY'S SHADY LAWN GRASS MIXTURE.** Especially prepared for a lawn where shade is a consideration. Blended carefully for sowing under trees and in shady places where the ordinary grasses do not grow well. **60c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.70; 5 lbs., \$2.75; postpaid.**

**KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS.** Best known grass for lawns and pastures. Good Blue Grass seed, and plenty of it, will make a fine stand of thick grass. This seed is raised in our own territory and shows strong germination. Weighs 21 pounds per bushel. (Seed law requires but 14 pounds.) Heavy seed means clean seed. Sow in early Spring, in June, or in Fall. **50c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.35; 10 lbs., \$4.00 postpaid.**

**CANADIAN BLUE GRASS.** Will grow on poorer soil than Kentucky Blue Grass, and some say it will stand more dry weather. Sow 30 pounds per acre. **60c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.50; postpaid.**

**RED TOP.** Used in lawn mixtures, makes dense sod that will stand trampling. Good addition for any pasture or hay land, especially on low ground. Quick growth. Sow 10 pounds per acre. **40c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.10; 5 lbs., \$1.75; postpaid.**

**RYE GRASSES.** Italian Rye, a biennial, and Perennial Rye Grass. The Perennial or English Rye is used in lawns, acting as a quick cover to prevent washing away of soil on terraces. **40c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.10; 5 lbs., \$1.75; postpaid.**

**BERMUDA GRASS.** A Southern grass for a quick lawn. Stands dry weather in exposed places, will Winter-kill in North, but valuable for green growth during July and August. Makes a heavy, dense mat. Requires no attention except cutting. **70c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.95; postpaid.**

**WHITE DUTCH CLOVER.** The little three and four-leaf clover which grows so abundantly to produce that fine green carpet so desirable to the home lover. Bright clean seed of high quality and germination. **60c lb.; 3 lbs., \$1.50; 10 lbs., \$4.75; postpaid.**

## MAY PARK LAWN GRASS MIXTURE

Thrives everywhere. A well balanced mixture for quick growing turf. Builds a lawn quickly.

Sow one pound for every three to four hundred square feet. May Park Grass Seed is successful everywhere, giving 100% results.

**Postpaid, 50c Pound**

**3 Pounds, \$1.35**

**5 Pounds, \$2.25**

For Prices on Larger Quantities of Lawn Seed See My Wholesale Seed Price List

# Fertilizers for Your Plants, Lawn and Garden

## BONE MEAL

Analysis: 3% ammonia, 2.47% nitrogen and 24% phosphoric acid.

Finely ground, first quality. Starts to decompose quickly and build up fertility of soil. With Bone Meal there is no danger of burning plants.

For new lawns use about 500 pounds of Bone Meal with a ton of sheep manure per acre. Plow under or spade in two weeks before sowing seed.

For old lawns, top dress early in Spring with sheep manure and Bone Meal mixed equal parts, 2300 pounds per acre or 50 pounds per 1000 square feet.

Use bone meal for roses and flowering shrubs. For pot plants use one part Bone Meal to 50 parts soil.

5-lb. bag **65c, postpaid;** 10 pounds, **\$1.00, postpaid;** 25 pounds, **\$1.50;** 50 pounds **\$2.50;** 100 pounds, **\$4.00;** 500 pounds **\$18.75.** Quantities over 10 lbs. are f.o.b. Shenandoah.

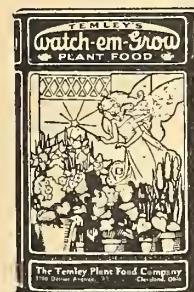
## "Watch-Em-Grow" Concentrated Quick Acting Plant Food

Watch-em-G row is a wonderful, quick-acting, perfectly mixed plant food. It is the best balanced fertilizer for house plants possible for you to secure.

Use it on your potted house plants:—Dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. Pour into one gallon of cool water, and water plants daily with this mixture. For a 6-in. pot use a pint of mixture each week until you note improvement, then once in two weeks.

In the garden:—It may be used the same way as recommended for potted plants when transplanting flowers or vegetables.

Big 8 oz. can, **postpaid.....50c**



## SHEEP MANURE

Supplies all of necessary plant food elements, nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash in combination with organic matter or humus. This natural combination produces the effect in soil only to be had from animal manures.

Sheep Manure is recommended for all small vegetables, for grapes, berries and melons; fruit trees just coming into bearing; and for lawns, trees, shrubs and vines. It can be profitably added to any soil for market gardening and growing.

5-lb. bags, **40c, postpaid;** 10-lb. bags, **65c;** 25-lb. bags, **\$1.25;** 50-lb. bags, **\$1.50;** 100-lb. bags, **\$2.50;** 500 lbs., **\$11.50;** 1000 lbs., **\$21.00.** Quantities over 5 lbs. are f.o.b. Shenandoah.

# GOOD FARM SEEDS

**Give Best Results  
My Guaranteed Seeds  
at Wholesale Prices**



One Day's Outgoing Shipment of Alfalfa Seed  
—Photographed at Wabash Depot Shenandoah

## Send Me Your Seed Orders—at My Risk

**SUBJECT TO YOUR TEST AND APPROVAL.**—All my seeds are sold subject to your test and approval. If, in your judgment, they are unsatisfactory, return them to me within ten days and I will make full refund of your money. All are tested for germination and purity. Every bag of seed shipped out carries a complete analysis of test for your protection. Adapted to soil, climate—and your purse.

## Hardy Productive Seeds Direct From Grower

**LOWER PRICES SAVE YOU MONEY.**—Savings of \$3 to \$5 are reflected in my lower prices this year. My connections, direct from the growers in the seed-producing sections, enable me to furnish you with the best of seeds at real savings.

## Mayworth Seed Is Fancy Recleaned Seed

I have men right in the seed-producing sections buying these seeds. We clean and thoroughly reclean them, making them conform to all State Seed Laws. No noxious weeds in Mayworth Super-Mayworth Seed.

**MAYWORTH.**—For those who cannot afford highly processed seed, yet do not want poor and unadapted seed, Mayworth Seed gives a fine crop at low price. Mayworth Seed is the same as most dealers sell for their best grade. Mayworth is 6 times recleaned. It will give you results at lowest cost.

**SUPER MAYWORTH.** Mayworth seeds 10 times recleaned instead of 6. The finest looking seeds you ever saw.

**NOW READY.** My new farm seed guide is now ready for you. I can save you money. Let me show you how. Write for it today.

### \*ALFALFA 15 Lbs. per Acre



**GRIMM.** Hardest of all.

**UTAH.** Very hardy in Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri.

**MONTANA.** Hardy everywhere in United States.

**KANSAS.** Have some genuine Kansas seed available at a mighty low price. Order quick.

### \*Sweet CLOVER 15 Lbs. per Acre



**WHITE BLOSSOM.** The white flowered biennial, for building up and enriching soil.

**YELLOW BLOSSOM.** Grows finer; preferred for pasture and hay.

**DWARF GRUNDY COUNTY OR CRYSTAL WHITE.** Biennial white dwarf, relished by livestock as hay or pasture.

### RED CLOVER \*8 Lbs. per Acre



**MED. RED or COMMON RED.** Dependable for hay and pasture. Gives two cuttings per season.

**MAMMOTH RED CLOVER.** Succeeds best when sown with Timothy.

**ALSIKE CLOVER**—6 lbs. per acre. Thrives on low wet ground. Only legume that likes water. Good mixed with Timothy.

## TIMOTHY AND TIMOTHY MIXTURES

**TIMOTHY.** We are in the heart of the Timothy belt and can give you best price, quality considered. Sow 10 to 12 lbs. per acre.

**TIMOTHY ALSIKE.** Balanced mixture for low and medium ground. Can furnish rich 25% mixture or medium 12 to 15% mixture.

**TIMOTHY-RED CLOVER.** Excellent mixture for hay and pasture. Sow 12 lbs. per acre.

**FORAGE CROPS.** Millets, canes, kaffir, milo and Feterita for feed or seed. Order early while the price is low.

**RAPE.** Quick, nutritious pasture. Ready 40 days from seeding.

**\*MAYWORTH HAY & PASTURE MIXTURE.** About 50% clovers and 50% grasses. Good soil building balanced hay or pasture mixture at \$1.50 per acre.

**SOY BEANS.** All leading varieties, adapted for seedling anywhere. Low prices on popular varieties.



**SUDAN.** Popular forage crop for May, June and July seeding. Use 25 lbs. per acre.

**GRASSES.** Complete list given with quantity prices, in my wholesale price list.

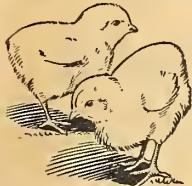
**BROMUS.** North Dakota-grown seed for hay and pasture. Can be seeded on rough, thin soil. Prevents soil washing. 8 lbs. Bromus and 12 lbs. Yellow Blossom makes good mixture.

**Send for My Big  
FARM SEED CATALOG**

## FOR SEED PRICES

refer to our new low price sheet attached to this catalog. They're subject to advance and change, so order early.

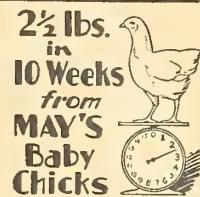
*Painting This Spring?—May's Paint PROTECTS and Beautifies Your House*



# May's Accredited Baby Chicks

With the World's Finest Bloodlines  
For Greater Poultry Profits

My chicks are from healthy, matured ACCREDITED flocks with world's finest bloodlines—All our flocks have been closely culled for heavy egg production as well as standard markings. The profit to be made from your chicks depends on the breeding behind them and my chicks are electric-hatched from strong, sturdy, accredited, highest type farm range flocks. You can be sure that these chicks will develop rapidly into fine pullets and cockerels—the kind that mature quickly, produce more eggs and bring better market prices, because they are backed by years of breeding for greater egg production and standard qualities.

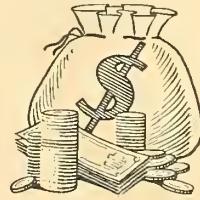


My chicks are shipped by Prepaid Parcel Post or Prepaid Express. 100% live delivery guaranteed. (SEE GUARANTEE.) All chick orders are booked in rotation as received. Consequently I suggest you place your order as far ahead of shipping date as possible to be sure you will get the breed of chicks you want on the exact date you want them. If possible, always give a second or third choice as at certain times of the year I am oversold on various breeds and am able to give better and more satisfactory service on orders which state a second and third choice of three different varieties.



## More Winter Eggs and Early Broilers from May's ACCREDITED Chicks

Hatched from Flocks Bred for  
Year 'Round Egg Production



VARIETY	25	50	100	200	300	500	1000
Barred Plymouth Rocks	\$4.00	\$7.50	\$14.00	\$27.50	\$41.25	\$65.00	\$127.50
White Plymouth Rocks	4.50	8.75	15.00	29.50	44.25	70.00	137.50
Buff Plymouth Rocks	4.50	8.75	15.00	29.50	44.25	70.00	137.50
Single Comb Reds	4.00	7.50	14.00	27.50	41.25	65.00	127.50
Rose Comb Rhode I. Reds	4.50	8.75	15.00	29.50	44.25	70.00	137.50
Rose Comb Rhode I. Whites	4.50	8.75	15.00	29.50	44.25	70.00	137.50
White Wyandottes	4.50	8.75	15.00	29.50	44.25	70.00	137.50
Buff Orpingtons	4.50	8.75	15.00	29.50	44.25	70.00	137.50
Silver Laced Wyandottes	4.75	9.00	16.50	32.50	48.00	78.75	150.00
White Orpingtons	4.75	9.00	16.50	32.50	48.00	78.75	150.00
Jersey Black Giants	5.50	10.75	20.00	39.50	57.75	95.00	185.00
Light Brahmans	5.50	10.75	20.00	39.50	57.75	95.00	185.00
White Minorcas	4.75	9.00	16.50	32.50	48.00	78.75	150.00
Mottled Anconas	4.00	7.50	14.00	27.50	41.25	65.00	127.50
White Leghorns	3.75	7.00	13.00	25.50	36.75	59.00	115.00
Single Comb Brown Leghorns	3.75	7.00	13.00	25.50	36.75	59.00	115.00
Buff Leghorns	3.75	7.00	13.00	25.50	36.75	59.00	115.00
Heavy Ass't. (for broilers)	3.75	7.00	13.00	25.50	36.75	59.00	115.00
Light Ass't.	3.50	6.50	12.00	23.50	33.75	55.00	102.50

### IMPORTANT NOTICE (State 2nd and 3rd Choice)

If possible, always give a second or third choice of the breeds you desire as we sometimes have a greater demand on certain varieties. In most instances, we can give you the breed of your first choice but if you give us a second or third choice, as a rule, we can ship your chicks at most any time wanted because our enormous incubator capacity gives us thousands of chicks of every variety every week.

### MY 100% GUARANTEE

I guarantee 100% LIVE DELIVERY to all parts of the United States of chicks hatched from healthy ACCREDITED flocks rigidly culled for STANDARD QUALITIES. I further GUARANTEE, that if you do not receive 100% LIVE DELIVERY I will refund the amount paid for dead chicks or REPLACE the chicks FREE. If any are found dead upon arrival, have Postman or Expressman mark number dead on receipt and mail to me immediately upon arrival of shipment.



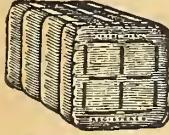
### MAYWAY ALL-METAL BROODER HOUSES

Here is a house that will protect your chicks, that will keep them safe in any weather. No matter how cold it gets outside—no matter how it blows and storms, your chicks will be safe and cozy in a Mayway Metal Brooder House. Not only is the Mayway weather tight but it is fully lined with heat retaining Celotex throughout. It is provided with large glass admit the ultra-violet rays of the sun. Ventilator cap at the peak of roof is the last word in efficient construction. Built throughout of heavy rust-resisting metal. Rigid and solid. Will not wobble. Will give many years of trouble-free service.

No.	Size	Without Floor	With Floor
4-110B	10 ft.	\$98.00	\$108.00
4-112B	12 ft.	115.00	127.50
4-114B	14 ft.	135.00	150.00

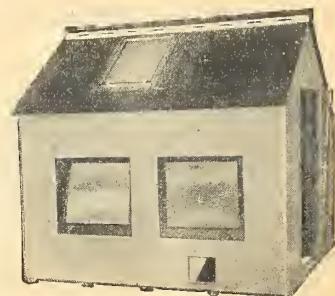
### POULTRY LITTER

Indispensable for baby chicks and growing stock. Prevents spread of disease. Lasts a long time. Guaranteed to be the very best peat moss litter available. Makes valuable fertilizer when removed.  
Per Bale..... \$4.25  
6 or more bales, each..... 4.00



### MAYWAY "FIR QUEEN" BROODER HOUSES

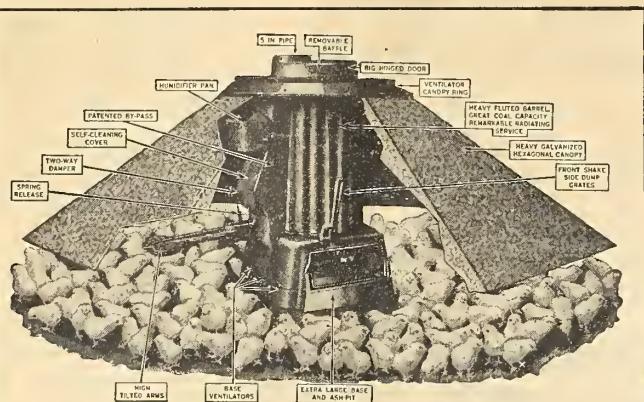
Constructed throughout of clear fir, tongue grooved, treated in boiling creosote. Lice and mite proof. Resists dampness. Comes knocked down, in sections, which can be bolted together in 30 minutes by one man with a wrench and screw driver. Extra large windows of glass cloth. Front wall is 1 ft. higher than usual and door is higher, making it a much more convenient house to work in.



No. 4-88 with 1 skylight, extra \$3.00; Nos. 4-812 and 4-816 with 2 skylights, extra \$6.

No.	Size	No. Windows	Price
4-88	8x8 ft.	2	\$47.50
4-812	8x12 ft.	3	69.50
4-816	8x16 ft.	4	95.00

## Raise More Chicks With Mayway Equipment



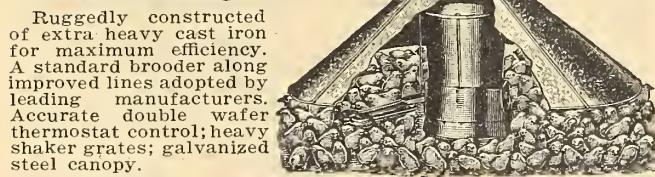
### Mayway Chief Out-classes All Other Coal Brooders

The thing you want in a brooder is that it raises chicks. It must supply heat, the right kind of heat, and enough heat, but not too much; regulated to a fraction of a degree. A brooder must be easy to handle; easy to fuel; easy to tend. Such is the Mayway Chief. Note the rugged barrel with deep corrugations that multiply heat radiation. The oversize ash pit will hold many hours' accumulation of ashes without interfering with proper draft. Humidifier pan is on outside of bypass channel near the top, where it should be; not at bottom where it would fill with filth. Notice special ventilated canopy ring which allows regulated ventilation. This feature, alone, places Mayway Chief in a class by itself. Costs a few dollars more than some brooders but it is worth more, and will more than pay the difference in cost in additional chicks raised from the first brood. Prices F. O. B. Shenandoah or factory.

No.	Canopy	Chicks	Weight	Price
4981	48 in.	500	125 lbs.	\$19.50
4982	58 in.	1000	147 lbs.	25.50
4983	68 in.	1500	175 lbs.	31.00

4-67P—5 in. Galv. Stove Pipe, per 24 in. joint..... postpaid 40c  
4-68E—5 in. Galv. Elbows..... postpaid, each 50c  
4-82G—Galv. Roof Saddle with cap..... postpaid 75c  
47594—Brooder Thermometer..... postpaid 60c

### The Mayway Standard Coal Burning Brooder



### Mayway "ELECTRIC" Brooder Mayway "Violet-Light" Economy



Used on any current—110-volt alternating; 32-volt Direct; Delco, or other farm lighting plants. Regulates automatically; economical of electricity; requires no watching. Steady, even heat without fire danger, fumes, odors or gas.

#### May's Low Prices

4-829—29 in. canopy—125 day-olds—Wt., 18 lbs.....	\$ 9.75
4-837—37 in. canopy—300 day-olds—Wt., 45 lbs.....	13.50
4-847—47 in. canopy—600 day-olds—Wt., 60 lbs.....	18.00
4-862—62 in. canopy—1000 day-olds—Wt., 75 lbs.....	22.00

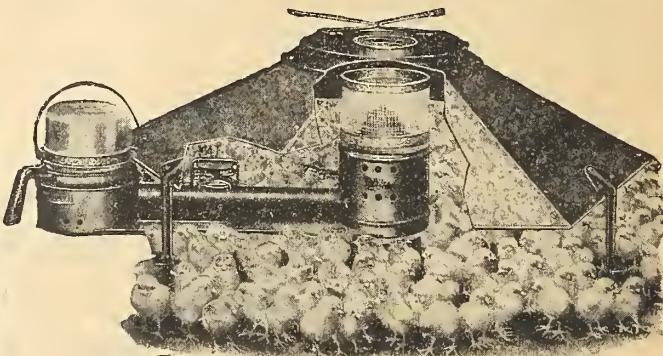
All F. O. B. Shenandoah or factory

### Mayway Junior Hover

4-10E—An efficient electric brooder for 25 to 50 chicks. Heavy 24 in. galvanized canopy, special heat bulb. Wt., 7 lbs.; F. O. B. Shenandoah, each ..... \$2.95



When I decided to open a Poultry Supply Department, I searched the market for the most efficient equipment, I studied the lines of the leading manufacturers and tested their products thoroughly. When I found the best, I made a personal call on that manufacturer, "You have the best product," I said, "But I want better still; make it heavier, finish it better. I want as good as human skill can make it. Then quote on fifty-carload lots. My customers must have the best and at the best price." All Prices F. O. B. Shenandoah or factory, which is nearest you.



### Mayway Automatic Oil Brooder

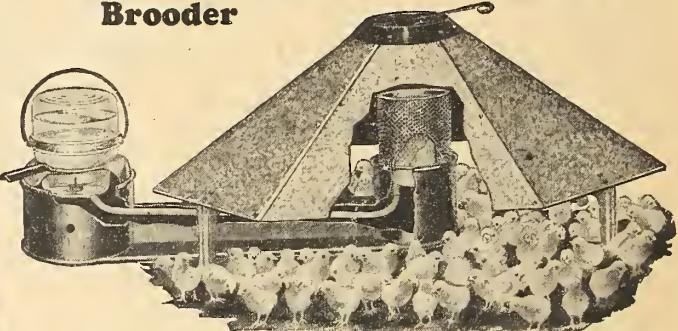
Burner lasts a lifetime. Burns evenly without smoke, gas or odor. Half-inch leak-proof feed pipe. Rigid steel base. Easily leveled. Improved hexagon canopy. Heavy stamped steel legs. Positive thermostat control. 1930 Improved Pilot Light prevents brooder going out.

438—32 in. canopy—300 chicks.....	\$12.75
448—42 in. canopy—500 chicks.....	14.75
458—58 in. canopy—1000 chicks.....	16.90

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Extra Thermostat wafers for above..... Postpaid, each 40c  
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### Mayway Improved Oil Burning Brooder



Similar to Mayway Automatic above, without thermostat.  
432-H—32 in. canopy—300 chicks..... \$ 9.00  
442-H—42 in. canopy—500 chicks..... 10.00  
452-H—52 in. canopy—1000 chicks..... 11.00

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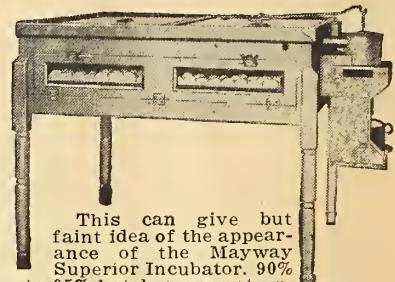
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### Mayway Superior Automatic Incubator

Built to hatch every hatchable egg. No loss from chicks drying up in the shell; no chilling or overheating with the automatic regulator. Absolutely uniform temperature. Heavy 2 qt lamp bowl, with double-sun-hinged burner. Heavy copper hot water tank and boiler. Double insulated walls; double glass doors; California Redwood case; heavy turned legs. Will never check or warp.

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This can give but faint idea of the appearance of the Mayway Superior Incubator. 90% to 95% hatches are not uncommon with this incubator.

# Mayway Labor & Money-Saving Poultry Supplies



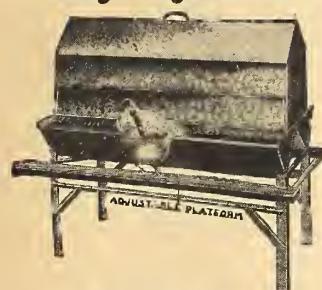
## Mayway 8-Ft. Flock Feeder

A business feeder for the business poultryman. Feeds 62 birds at a time. Easily filled and easily cleaned. Wire guard top prevents crowding. Deep pan with extension feed guard, and frame constructed of heavy channel iron.

4261—Holds 150 lbs. feed. Wt., 65 lbs. F.O.B. Shenandoah, Each .....	\$ 7.95
Three in a crate.....	22.00
4264—Same as above but 4 ft. in length. F.O.B. Shenandoah, Each.....	\$ 5.60

Three in a crate .....

## Mayway Giant Cafeteria Feeder



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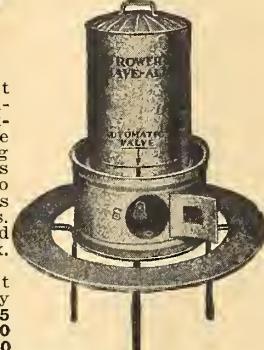
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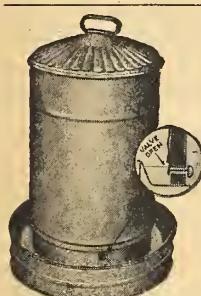
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## Mayway Non-Freeze Fountain

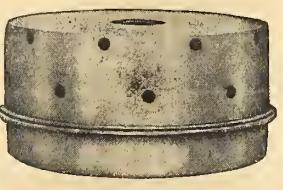
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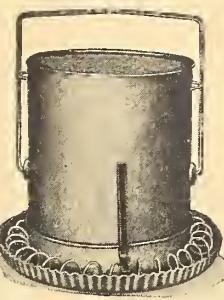
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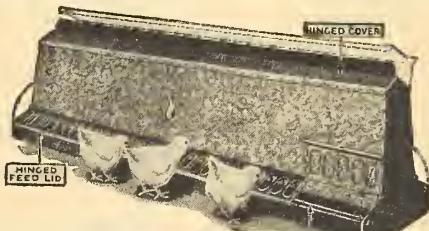
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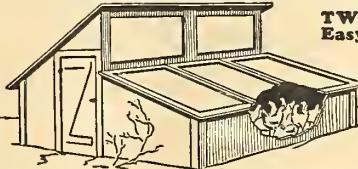
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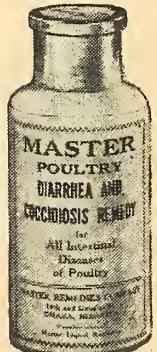
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